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Task force sees savings, but also hazards in heating more Maine homes with wood

A.P./MICHAEL DANIELS
Burning more wood for heat could save homeowners money in oil-dependent Maine, but a task force in the nation's most forested state cautioned that care is needed to avoid health problems and damage to the wood products industry.

Les Otten, of Greenwood, chairman of a wood-to-energy task force formed by Gov. John Baldacci, suggested that a 10 percent shift from oil to wood would be significantly beneficial.

"Before we do anything else,

'If there's any part of the state that could stand to save some money and end its dependence of foreign oil, it's certainly the Western Region.'

we have to look at conservation and efficiency," Otten said Friday as the task force issued its report.

Maine has about 17 million acres of woodlands that could be harvested commercially, officials said. It is also the state with the highest de-

LES OTTEN
pendence on No. 2 heating oil, with more than 80 percent of its homes using oil-based heating systems, according to the task force.

Some 440,000 households in Maine use an average of 900 gallons of oil a year, the report said. At current prices,

that means each family will spend an average of \$4,100 on heat this winter.

"Conservation and looking out for each other could be vital this winter," Baldacci said.

With heating oil costs expected to remain high, many homeowners may use woodstoves as a secondary heat source, the report said.

"They are a viable wood-to-energy solution if they are modern, efficient and clean-burning, and there is already

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Towns here looking at ways to ensure residents stay warm

By ALISON ALOISIO

"We can't let 80-year-old people freeze to death. If you know someone's getting in trouble, get the word out before they get in too much trouble," said Andover Fire Chief Ken Dixon.

Dixon and selectmen last week discussed how the town might watch out for and help its citizens who may not be able to pay for heating fuel this winter.

"If someone runs out of fuel in mid-winter, do we have a plan to shelter them?" he asked.

"I hope people will contact Community Concepts [for heating assistance]," said secretary Hope Peterson.

The implications of the high cost of heating fuel has been a topic of discussion at area selectmen's meetings since the summer.

Greenwood is coordinating with Community Concepts of South Paris. The town is encouraging donations to a spe-

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BACK TO THE LAND STARTS HERE

Tonya Fons and Dan Deforge of Environmental Projects, Inc. sort and begin disposal of approximately 650 gallons of household hazardous waste collected Saturday at the SAD44 bus garage in Bethel. Here, Deforge pours polyurethane into a collection barrel with other flammable liquids, the first step on their way to high-temperature incineration. The waste collect Saturday also included approximately 300 pounds of very old and probably very hazardous pesticides, said Ferg Lea of the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments, the organization that sponsors the local collection days. Pesticides are also incinerated, but at still-higher temperatures, which breaks them down into non-hazardous components. Any residual heavy metals are removed with scrubbing/air-quality systems. The resulting hazardous ash goes to certified hazardous-waste landfills.

(Photo: M. Daniels)

G'wood seeks to sell former tire dump site

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Greenwood selectmen have decided to put the former Gordon tire dump property on the open market, but if the parcel finds a new owner, the town is unlikely to make any more on the sale than what is already owed in back taxes.

The 34-acre parcel — located off the Rabbit Road, between Route 26 and Vernon Street — was acquired by the town in 2001.

At that point the owner, Peter Gordon, owed six years

MDEP will seek to recoup at least part of more than three-quarters of a million taxpayer dollars it spent cleaning up Rabbit Road site.

worth of back taxes, totaling \$5,250.

The selectmen hope to recoup that amount if the parcel sells, but the town is not the only party that would be entitled to a cut of the proceeds..

The Maine Department of Environmental Protection hopes to recover at least part of the more than three-quarters of a million taxpayer dollars spent cleaning up 1.7 million old tires from the site.

But while the town stands a good chance of at least being made whole, that's not the case with the state.

The selectmen plan to have a market valuation done for the property, but its current tax valuation is \$83,000, and a buyer would receive only a quit-claim, not a warranted, deed.

DEP Enforcement Specialist Randy McMullin said Tuesday that in such sales the actual

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Hanover man prepares to tackle Hawaii Ironman

DANIELLE BRUCE/A. ALOISIO
Tim Bruce of Hanover will compete in the 2008 Ironman World Championship in Hawaii on Oct. 12.

The competition includes 2.4 miles of swimming, 112 miles of biking, and a 26.2-mile marathon run through ocean waves and challenging lava-covered terrain, according to the Ironman website. Tens of thousands of triathletes try for an Ironman spot each year, but only 1,800 succeed.

To get to the starting line in Kona, athletes must either qualify through a lottery or win a spot at one of the qualifying events held worldwide.

"I would not be doing this if not for my wife Danielle," Bruce said. "Not only is she supportive of the time it takes to train for an event like this, she also is responsible for securing my spot in the race."

Last February, Danielle entered him into the lottery as a Valentine present.

"On April 12 I got the e-mail saying I had won the lottery spot," said Bruce. "I was shocked and thrilled to learn I had won. I've trained hard

and I'm excited for the 'race of my life.'"

This will his third Ironman distance event. He hopes to complete it in just under 12 hours.

Bruce got his first taste of triathlon competition close to home.

"My first tri was the one in Bethel a few years ago. I just wanted to try it and see how I would do.

Bruce said he finds the running leg to be the hardest. "Swimming is not bad, because it is the shortest part of any triathlon, and riding is the most comfortable for me," he said.

"For Hawaii I am training differently in the sense I am trying to maintain fitness. On July 1 I did the Lake Placid Ironman, so I am trying to keep my level of fitness and work on high-intensity training with some long distance mixed in."

The Ironman got its start at an awards ceremony for a relay running race in Honolulu in 1977.

A group of local athletes
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MORE THAN A MILLION AND A HALF TIRES

had accumulated by the late 1990s at the Gordon tire dump off the Rabbit Road. The Maine Department of Environmental Protection licensed the site in 1991, over the vehement protest of local officials and residents, who argued that the operator was unlikely to run the facility in compliance with state and local environmental regulations. After several years MDOT concluded the same, closed the site and paid to have the tires removed. The Town of Greenwood, which acquired the 34-acre parcel for unpaid taxes in 2001, is now putting it up for sale. (Citizen file photo)



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Telstar High School Parents

You are invited to
Parent-Teacher Conferences
Wednesday, October 8, 5-8:30pm
Thursday, October 16, 4-7:30pm

Interested parents/guardians are asked to call 824-2136 and press 1 for the high school office to schedule an appointment

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Letters

SUPPORT YOUR ARTS COUNCIL

To the Editor:

Members of the board and friends of the Mahoosuc Arts Council made telephone calls recently inviting people to join the council in supporting performing and visual arts programming in the schools and communities of SAD44. If you did not receive a call but would like to join the Mahoosuc Arts Council effort, your tax-deductible donation would be most gratefully accepted. Please send your donation to: The Mahoosuc Arts Council, P.O. Box 534, Bethel, ME 04217, or you can make a credit card donation through our website, www.mahoosucarts.org. Questions can be directed to the board through our website or by phone at 824-3575.

Our current season, in collaboration with the Gould Performing Arts Series, is available on our website. Upcoming performances that are open to the public include: MacTalla-Mor, Celtic music, on Oct. 16 at 7 p.m. at Bingham Auditorium, Gould Academy. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$6 for students and seniors; and Cody Michaels, pianist, on Oct. 26 at 4 p.m. in the Trustee's Auditorium, McLaughlin Science Center, Gould Academy. Admission is free with donations gratefully accepted.

Mahoosuc Arts has been providing arts programming for the schools and communities of SAD44 for over 20 years. To continue our efforts we depend upon the generosity of the citizens of this region. Your support is essential and most appreciated!

Linda Gamble
Chair, Mahoosuc Arts Council Board

A REASON TO SMILE

To the Editor:

Healthy smiles are important to all people regardless of age, gender or economic standing. The Smile Fund sponsored by West Parish Congregational Church, United Church of Christ is dedicated to helping those in the Bethel area who are in need of restorative dental work. This dental work is expensive and the fund is for helping those for whom financial resources are not available. Please contact the Rev. Virginia Rickeman at 824-0550 for further information about the Smile Fund or to submit an application for aid. All applications are confidential. Approval has just been given to the 25th client.

On Saturday, Oct. 11, there will be an indoor yard sale at the church to raise funds for this project. The sale will be in the church basement from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tools to toys and everything in between will be for sale — something for everyone. Please stop by. You are sure to find a bargain and your purchase will help a wonderful project.

Peggy Wight
For The Smile Fund

NAZARENE CENTENNIAL

To the Editor:

On Oct. 5, Bethel Nazarene Church will join with 18,000 other Nazarene churches in 151 world areas to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Church of the Nazarene.

Our congregation is excited to celebrate this anniversary with 1.6 million members in 24 time zones around the world and still growing.

The Church of the Nazarene has its roots in Methodism drawn from the teachings of English evangelist John Wesley (1703-1791). The denomination was established in October 1908 in Pilot Point, Texas, the culmination of mergers of several like-minded groups.

The mission of the Church of the Nazarene is to make Christ-like disciples in the nations.

The service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Please feel free to join us.

Rev. Chuck Mason
Pastor

SNOWSPORTS SALE THANKS

To the Editor:

I would like to take this moment to thank all those who supported us to make our recent yard sale a success. Without the support of the members of the community with their purchase of the items, the continued trail maintenance would be yet another challenge. The proceeds from the sale are used for materials used in maintaining the trails with the replacing of bridges, excavation work and materials for proper drainage, repair of the grooming equipment and to purchase fuel for the grooming machines. While we are expecting even higher prices of fuel this year, we will be even harder hit because of the sheer volume of fuel used in the many pieces of equipment needed to keep the trails in good condition for all of us to enjoy.

Special thanks go to Arlene Lowell for the use of her property and all her encouragement and countless hours helping us get ready. Thank you also goes out to the American Legion Post 68 and the Bethel Alliance Church for the use of their equipment and space. Thank you also to members of the snowmobile club that worked hard getting everything ready including the very early morning start to help make the sale a success: Deanne Rothwell, Rich and Laurie Wiacek, Richard Wakefield, Jackie Morin, Robert Lowell, Al Lake and Gary Okenquist.

Edie Okenquist
Secretary, Greenstock Snowsports Snowmobile Club

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PRODUCT PACKAGING PARTS FOR CPS

To the Editor:

Crescent Park School in Bethel will again be participating in several programs to earn merchandise or money for the school this year. We are collecting UPCs (bar codes) from Campbell's soups, Spaghetti-O's, Swanson, Prego, V-8 juices and Pepperidge Farm crackers, breads, cookies, Goldfish crackers and frozen desserts. Also, we need box tops from General Mills "Boxtops For Education" products including cereals, Betty Crocker, Pillsbury, Old El Paso, Yoplait, Ziploc, Huggies, Cottonelle, and others. We are saving "Hannaford Helps Schools" certificates and Hood "Sox Tops for Kids" bottle caps.

CPS earns books, computer programs, and sports equipment from Campbell's. Money from the box tops, certificates and bottle caps goes into the CPS Student Activity Fund. Last year CPS earned over \$664 for the fund.

A complete list of qualifying products is available at the Crescent Park School office (824-2839). Please put all UPCs, lids, box tops, certificates and bottle caps in the collection box at Crescent Park School or the Bethel Foodliner. You may also send them to: Crescent Park School, 19 Crescent Lane, Bethel, ME 04217.

This is a great way to support the children at CPS (or any local school). We always appreciate the support from our friends in the Bethel area.

Alicia McLean
Volunteer Coordinator

HARVEST FEST & COOK-OFF THANKS

To the Editor:

The 11th annual Bethel Harvest Fest and Chowdah Cook-off, as well as the 6th annual Apple Pie Contest, drew a huge crowd to town and provided a joyful experience for all in attendance. Hancock Lumber, the presenting sponsor, as well as Allen's Coffee Brandy, the entertainment sponsor; Westminster Crackers and Sysco Food Services of Northern New England, the Chowdah Cook-off sponsor; Oxford Networks, the Deepwood Farm wagon ride sponsor; The Good Food Store, our Apple Pie Contest sponsor and Great Brook Preserve deserve many kudos for supporting this event that brings so much joy to the community!

The Chowdah Cook-off is growing in popularity and is a fantastic testament to the wonderful restaurants we have in this region. Congratulations to the Sunday River Brewing Co. for being the #1 Judges' Choice for their Island-style Clam Chowder and to the Bethel Inn Resort for their Honorable Mention Maine Seafood Chowder with crab/corn fritters. The People's Choice #1 Chowdah was the Victoria Inn & Restaurant's Lobster and Corn Chowder.

All the entries were delicious, however, and we would like to thank the following: Bethel's Best Pizza Grille & Dairy Bar for their Seafood Chowder; Brian's Bistro for their Seafood Chowder; Funky Red Barn for their Corn Chowder; Good Food Store for their Clam Chowder; Jolly Drayman English Pub for their Lightly Curried Seafood Chowder; L'Auberge Bistro for their Corn and Crab Chowder; Rooster's Roadhouse for their Quohog Chowder; Route 2 Diner for their "Fit for a King" Fish Chowder; S.S. Milton for their Bond Island Corn Chowder; and The Sudbury Inn for their Clam Chowder.

We received 14 apple pies for the competition. Congratulations to the following "top" pies in each category: Professional — The Victoria Inn; Traditional Amateur — Marcia Foster-Austin; Non-traditional Amateur — Fred Cosegla. Many thanks to the other pie bakers: Betty Gilbert, Ellie LeComte, Carol Savage, Sudbury Inn, Shawn Malespini, Bethel Inn Resort, The Barking Dawg and Tom and Mike Wilson.

The entertainment was wonderful, thanks to the help Jewel Clark provided. Several Bethel Area musicians took the stage and offered their talent for all to enjoy. Many thanks to Amy and Wendy Green; Peter Morton, Jewel Clark, Donnie Katlin and Paul Dube for sharing their musical gifts with the appreciative audience. Steve Stone entertained the crowd with his chainsaw carving skills and has donated a standing carved bear for the chamber to raffle. It is being displayed at the chamber office and tickets are \$3 each or two for \$5. Thanks also to the 46 arts and crafts and harvest item vendors who spent their day with us on the Common.

The volunteers are what make this tremendous event happen. Thanks to the following: Dave Freiday, Mike Steven, Pearl Ivey, Linda Gamble, Gary Haines, Dillon Gillies, Sylvia and Norm Clanton, Bruce and Shirley Powell, Scott and Mason Mills, Sharon Haendel, Read Dickinson, Thea Beaudoin, Paula Gillies, Rosemary Laban, Ellie Andrews, Michele Perejda, Barb and Bob Dion, Henrietta and Jim List, Ginny Walker, Harry Harding, Laurence Austin, Tim Carter, Rene McGrew, Peggy Wight, Sue Milton, Kate and Jonathan Goldberg and daughters, Larry Engdahl, John Amann and the Bethel Firemen.

Thanks also to our judges: Linda Smith, Dolores Cole, Cindy Russell and Sam Bays and chamber staff members Rosalie Holliday and Kathy DeGruttola who helped with all the organizing for the day's events.

Finally, many thanks to the businesses who got into the harvest spirit with their scarecrows depicting the theme "Celebrating the Olympic Spirit." They are: Mahoosuc Realty, Brooks Bros., Designs, and Maine Line Products.

Next year's event is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 19. Hope to see you there!

Robin Zinchuk
Executive Director, Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

THIS IS PRESIDENTIAL JUDGMENT?

To the Editor:

We have a financial crisis in this country that is much larger than any (admittedly huge) bailout. At the same time we have crises in Iraq, Afghanistan, growing tensions with Russia, North Korea, and Iran, and a healthcare system on the brink of collapse. If the sitting president couldn't solve these issues in the time he has had (and I never saw him cancel a debate for one of them) what exactly can one sitting senator do overnight?

On Wednesday of last week Senator McCain suspended his campaign in order to race back to DC to fix the problem on Wall Street. Bear in mind that just the day before McCain had admitted that he had not read the three-page bill submitted to the Congress the previous weekend. If this was such a crisis on Wednesday why was the bill not his first priority on Monday?

Neither Sen. McCain (Ariz.) nor Sen. Obama (Ill.) sits on the Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee, which has taken the lead in the upper chamber of molding the bailout plan. During the entire 110th Congress McCain sponsored 38 pieces of legislation, none of which were pertinent to the Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee nor referred to it.

Still, during the same time period Senator Obama sponsored 130 measures, five of which were referred to the Banking Committee. Obama's legislation calls for bolstering housing assistance for veterans, amending the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 to provide shareholders with an advisory vote on executive compensation, halting mortgage transactions that promote fraud, authorizing local and state governments to crack down on companies that invest in Iran's energy sector and authorizing a pilot program to prevent at-risk veterans from becoming homeless.

This past Monday John McCain failed to deliver the necessary votes to pass the bill he felt was so critical he had to suspend his campaign to get it passed. Remember, it's a bill "his" president submitted and Democrats in a non-partisan effort were willing to work on and pass.

Now that its passage has failed John McCain is telling the American people it was Barack Obama's fault. The man is either delusional or he thinks we are.

Obama had enough experience to know that the non-partisan committee had the issue well in hand and that the insertion of presidential politics into the mix would not only not be helpful but might even stall the passage of the legislation.

John McCain didn't care. He was tanking in the polls, and once again he threw a Hail Mary pass. When you're in a dogfight that might work now and then (I suppose if you're about to be shot down it's worth taking a chance). But if that sort of decision making fails, and you're not in a jet but the oval office, you just might be taking the American people down in flames with you.

Is this the sort of judgment we need?

Chad McGrew
Bethel

SURPRISE, SURPRISE

To the Editor:

It has been apparent for some time now that, due to the entrenched greed, corruption and capitalistic impropriety in the American corporate structure and financial institutions, the American economy has been teetering precariously on the threshold of an economic catastrophe of an unprecedented magnitude.

Now, under the indifferent watch of the present administration's top financial guardians, who seem to have felt that Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac and AIG were too powerful and influential to be interfered with, the economy has slipped over the brink and is plunging into the abyss. There is a contention in the realm of skydiving that when all systems fail it isn't the fall that hurts, it's the abrupt stop at the bottom that is of major concern.

Almost right up until the day the economy went over the edge, the president and his top two economic watchdogs contended that the economy was healthy and vibrant. By that erroneous contention these harbingers of glad tidings have visited on themselves about the same degree of credibility as would Charlie McCarthy and Mortimer Snerd. Now, Chuck and Mort are screaming for the American taxpayers to respond immediately to the consequence of their oversight.

Throughout American history, the American worker has been the backbone of this country's economic stability, but in order to fill their own pockets corporate America has sent American jobs overseas in order to avoid paying living wages, overtime pay, vacation pay, health insurance and retirement benefits.

I dread to conceive the resulting consequences when the falling economy comes crashing down on the proposed seven hundred billion dollar powder puff, without the benefit of support from a disenfranchised American workforce.

Don Chase
Bethel

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson
10 years ago: Ordway Hall, the new dining and meeting facility at Gould Academy, was dedicated during Alumni Weekend.

Work was moving forward on the \$2.3 million upgrade project at Bethel's wastewater treatment plant.

There were 65 grandparents and other special persons in attendance at Andover Elementary School's Grandparent's Day celebration.

Births: Alexis Marie Bennett, Lisa Mary Gammon.

Deaths: Ray H. Littlehale, Donald Melvin Christie.

20 years ago: Military maneuvers in the Bog Brook area of Gilead were in high gear with troops training as part of Exercise Firestorm.

Parents and friends of Crescent Park School students erected a new playground at the school.

The Fall Foliage Flotilla had a perfect day for their paddle down the Androscoggin; 20 craft took part in the excursion.

Death: Stanley S. Moulton.

30 years ago: The Bethel area Chamber of Commerce outdoor information board on Route 2 near the Gem Shop was nearly completed.

The Greenwood Fire Department held an open house at the fire station in observance of Fire Prevention week.

Rosabelle Tift was elected national president-elect of the American Society of Hospital Public Relations.

Deaths: Robert L. McKeen, Sr., Mrs. Joyce T. Barker, Ernest G. Blake.

40 years ago: Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Moores hosted 73 Senior Citizens for a luncheon at the Bethel Inn.

Over 60 members and guests of the Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce met at Telstar Regional High School for a supper and tour of the facility.

Twenty-three boys and girls from Grade 2, Woodstock Elementary School were given a tour of the Rumford Fire Station.

Births: Scott Alan Haines, Charles Dawson Hamilton, John Richard Carter.

Death: Mrs. Ethel M. Johnson.

50 years ago: Twenty Bethel golfers turned out for the Local Members Tournament at the Bethel Inn Golf Course. Addison Saunders took first prize.

Gould Academy won their opening cross-country meet against Fryeburg 17-45.

Births: David Lee Knight, Stephen Allen Marston.

60 years ago: Bear were reported plentiful. Harry Lyon trapped a 300-pound bear at his farm on Grover Hill.

Oxford Congregational Youth held a rally at the West Parish Church. They were privileged to hear an address by Yoshio Fukuyama, who had taught at the American School for Boys, Talas, Turkey.

The enrollment at Woodstock High School was: Seniors, 12; Juniors, 10; Sophomores, 11; and Freshmen, 18.

Death: Mrs. John Preston True.

70 years ago: The New England timber loss was great in the hurricane. In Maine, Oxford County was reported the most severely hit where 49 to 50 million feet of pine was on the ground.

The new brick dormitory for boys of Gould Academy was being built on the site of the Twaddle house. The building is 127 by 103 feet at its greatest dimensions.

Fred Gorman moved into the C.K. Fox place recently purchased on Mason Street.

Death: Mrs. Martha E. Kendall.

80 years ago: M.A. Naimey installed steam heat in the building formerly the grain mill on Main Street.

Deaths: Eli Leland Mason, Arthur Ladd, Mrs. Fannie E. Frost.

100 years ago: Sons of Union Veterans held a membership at Pattee's Hall on Spring Street.

Bethel's Riverside Park Association elected R. Barker Thurston, president; J.A. Twaddle, vice president; Widd Twaddle, secretary; Fred Edwards, treasurer.

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Briefly

Adopt-a-Dog-A-Thon in Oxford

OXFORD—The first annual Adopt-a-Dog-A-Thon will take place Oct. 12 from 1 to 4 p.m. at Alternative Modular Homes at 470 Main Street, Route 26, in Oxford. The event is dedicated to dogs (and cats) and people who love them. Families and their dogs are encouraged to attend and learn about many local rescue organizations, hear stories of successful rescues and adoptions and talk to the people that help rescue, rehabilitate and re-home four-footed companions. Representatives from all over the state of Maine and New England will be present, along with some of their dogs, as well as representatives from more than 20 animal shelters and rescue groups who will be showcasing some of their adoptable pets. It will be an opportunity to possibly meet a new best friend, or learn about the programs and possibilities for involvement with these organizations. This is an all-ages event, open to the public and dogs. Participants are invited to bring their own dog and plan to participate in the special events which include: Doggie Parade where all of the featured dogs for adoption are marched to show off their years as dedicated feet warmers and companions; Costume Contest (spiff up a dog in the latest Halloween fashion and strut their tail-wagging stuff); Doggie Pageant (vote on the prettiest, the ugliest and cutest) and Stupid Pet Tricks (Every dog knows how to sit, roll over and shake their paw but do they know the alphabet backwards? Can they sing the National Anthem in French? If so, they could be a winner). There will also be pet supply vendors; art will be on display by featured artist Bruce Shields; pet and human companion caricatures done on site by Liz Penney; and grooming, photography and an animal communicator. Dr. Jennifer Lehr of the Oxford Hills Veterinary Clinic will be on site to assist in decisions on dog and cat adoptions. "Weiner" dogs and drink will be available to round out the day, which will take place rain or shine. There is no admissions fee but donations too will be welcome. For more information visit the website www.adoptadogathon.com or call 539-4800.

LURC endorses Plum Creek

BANGOR—Maine's Land Use Regulation Commission has given its blessing to a large-scale development plan for the Moosehead Lake region that calls for nearly 1,000 house lots, two large resorts and more than 400,000 acres of land conservation. The commission endorsed Plum Creek Timber Co.'s plan on Wednesday following nearly 17 hours of deliberations over two days. The final plan will be presented to Plum Creek, which can either accept or reject the package. Plum Creek project manager Luke Muzzy said the company is cautiously optimistic that the final plan is a workable one. If Plum Creek accepts the final recommendations, LURC staff will write a document that will be presented to the commission early next year for formal approval. The plan has drawn vocal criticism since it was first proposed three and a half years ago. Opponents say the development is too large and out of character for the region.

Fewer lottery tickets sold

LEWISTON—Maine lottery officials are blaming the soft economy for a \$90,000 shortfall over the last two months. Officials say 72 percent of revenue from lottery sales is from scratch tickets — and fewer of those tickets are being sold in stores. More than 200 state agencies rely on lottery revenue. Some of the money from lottery sales goes into the General Fund. The head of Maine's lottery operations believes the shortfall can be made up in the next 10 months of the budget year.

N.H. eyes pet-on-lap driving ban

CONCORD, N.H.—Driving with Fluffy or Fido on your lap would be against the law under a bill being drafted for the next New Hampshire Legislature. Hollis Republican Richard Drisko's plan would make it a violation to have a pet on your lap when you're driving. It also includes a ban on cell phone use and text messaging and requires the use of headlights when it's raining. Drisko says he knows the cell phone ban has been a tough sell in New Hampshire, but says it's become more common in other states. He would not be opposed to hands-free cell phone use.

Price of heating oil drops

AUGUSTA—Maine energy officials say the average cash price for No. 2 heating oil is \$3.74 per gallon, 8 cents less than it was when the last survey was taken. Two weeks ago, average prices were \$3.82 per gallon. The director of the Governor's Office of Energy Independence and Security, John Kerry, says the tumult in the financial markets has added volatility in the oil market. Kerry says expectations of a slowing economy have driven prices down. But Kerry says consumers can also take a lot of credit for the recent drop in oil prices by cutting back on driving. He says Americans have driven 12.2 billion fewer miles through June 2008 compared with the same period in 2007. In the state's latest heating oil survey, the lowest price was \$3.30 per gallon and the highest was \$4.

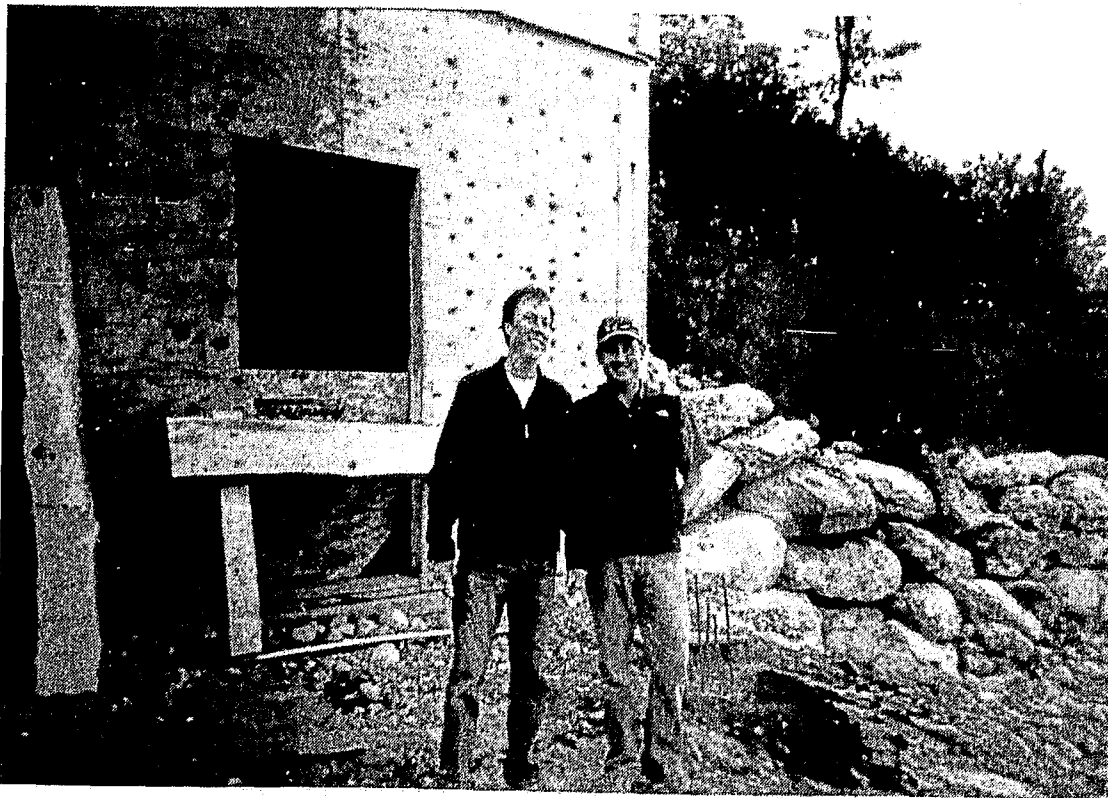
New plate benefits cancer research

AUGUSTA—Mainers will soon have a new specialty license plate they can put on their cars. Secretary of State Matthew Dunlap says the new plate to benefit breast cancer research will be available beginning Wednesday. Revenue generated by sales of the plate will go the Breast Cancer Services Special Program Fund. From there, the proceeds will be split equally among the Maine Breast Cancer Coalition, the Maine Cancer Foundation and the Maine Breast and Cervical Health Program.

Super Crossword Answers

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While they were on Merrill Hill they checked out progress of the gatehouse at the entrance on Morganite Way. Not only does Allen listen he takes service far beyond most designers, making sure the design exceeds your expectations, the materials are the right quality and as in the gatehouse right down to overseeing surface preparations on the building before the poplar bark siding is attached with ceramic lock screws. This commitment to excellence best explains the global success for Moss Creek and the wide range of projects from a 37,000sf lodge in the countryside of Russia to an Ahwahnee styled gatehouse for Merrill Hill Estates in the heart of the luxury realm at Sunday River Resort.

Allen and Warren took a look at the first lots that are soon to be released with underground utilities/fiber optics and agreed with the developer on the site location for the second gatehouse on Upper Morganite and Amethyst as well as the appropriate site for a special family compound for an active family and empty nesters in the process of seeking the essence to mountain living on Merrill Hill.

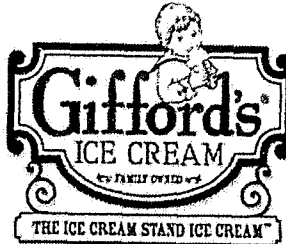
For more information on Merrill Hill Estates and the pre-inaugural property release of Morganite and Tourmaline Way 2-10 acre homesites starting at \$200,000 call 941-356-6225 or info@merrillhillstates.com or www.moss creek.net

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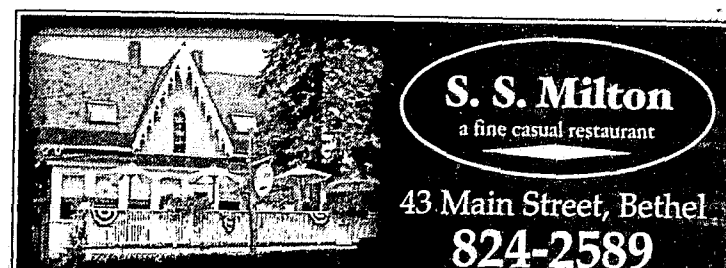
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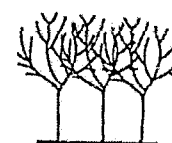
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Wood

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a developed market for woodstoves and cordwood delivery in Maine," the report said.

At the same time, the report warned, "this situation presents potential serious public health concerns. The amount of air pollution emitted by woodstoves this winter could approach record levels."

The report proposed that the state encourage the conversion of old polluting oil-fired and wood-fueled systems through tax incentives or a direct "buy-back" program to help homeowners and small businesses replace older furnaces, boilers or stoves with more clean-burning equipment.

Increased use of wood for heat could also lead to an increase in wood prices, the report said, calling on the state to educate youth about the benefits of a career in wood harvesting.

The governor said the report could lead the state toward "more reliance on wood energy and away from fossil fuel."

Abundant and less costly
Otten is the former owner of Sunday River Ski Resort, founder of the American Skiing Company, and a former part owner of the Boston Red Sox.

More recently he has invested \$10 million to launch Bethel-based Maine Energy Systems, which imports and markets wood-pellet-fueled boilers from Europe.

Otten said the Bethel location was chosen "in part because we're surrounded by fuel that can be used to convert our community and the surrounding communities to refined wood-based fuels, which are going to be inexpensive. And if there's any part of the state that could stand to save some money and end its dependence of foreign oil, it's certainly the Western Region."

And, he noted, "the cost of refined wood-based fuels is less than 50 percent that of petroleum-based fuels, and switching energy sources to something that is less expensive and abundant has dramatic implications for our local community."

Heat

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cial CC fund to provide aid beyond the usual government programs, Town Manager Kim Sparks said.

CC fields applications for the federal Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LI-HEAP), but has also set up a charitable giving fund called Keep Oxford Warm.

Donors may go to the CC website at www.community-concepts.org and go to DO-

NATE NOW to contribute to the assistance fund.

They may also select a specific municipality to target with the gift.

In Woodstock, selectmen have been discussing the possibility of setting up a special town account to which residents may make private donations beyond what is available from the usual sources. Other towns in Maine have

set up similar funds, some operating on the honor system — residents don't fill out an application, they simply call and say they need help.

Obituaries now occasionally designate fuel assistance funds for donations in memory of a person.

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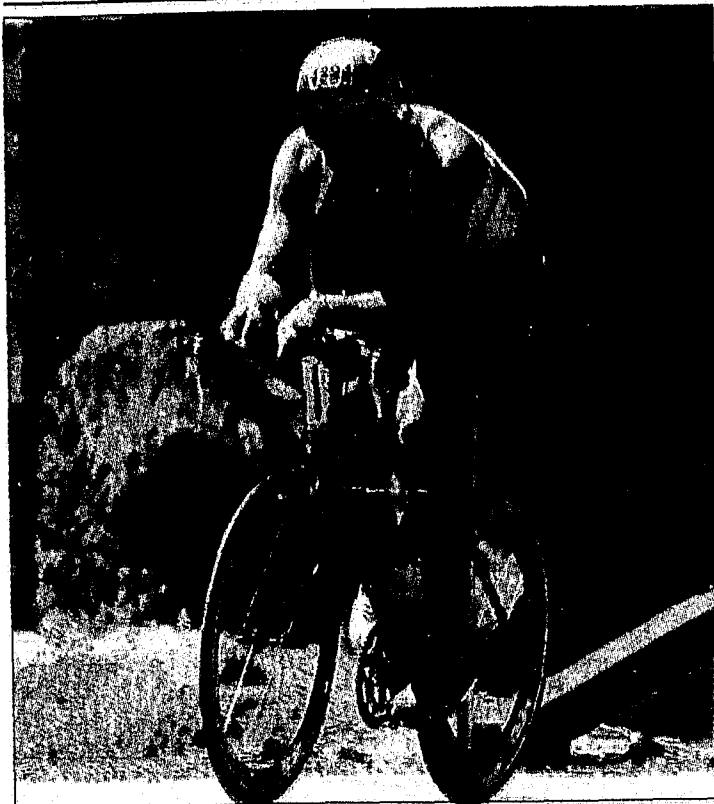
Residents who want to apply for fuel assistance through Community Concepts may call 743-7716.

For those wishing to improve their home's winterization, Central Maine Power offers the Bundle Up Program.

For \$20 they will provide materials and send a contractor to insulate water heaters and pipes and provide other conservation measures. The fee is \$10 for those who wish to obtain the materials to do the work themselves. Call (800)-750-4000.

Ironman

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talking about creating an endurance triathlon by combining three major events that already took on the island.

Gillies a past competitor
Dillon Gillies of Bethel has competed in seven world championships in Hawaii, including the first event in 1977.

Gillies has been instrumental in getting Bruce ready for these events.

"Dillon's love of the event, insider stories, positive encouragement and coaching has helped me tremendously," said Bruce. "I wish he was coming with us to Kona."

Danielle and his parents, who live in Aspen, Colo., will be in Kona to cheer him on.

After the race Tim and Danielle plan a much-needed vacation in Kauai, Hawaii.

TIM BRUCE of Hanover will compete in the in the 2008 Ironman World Championship in Hawaii on Oct. 12.

Tire Dump

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al distribution of proceeds is hashed out in negotiations among the state Attorney General's office, the seller and the buyer.

Assuming the parcel sells for fair market value, McMullin said, the town would get what it is owed in taxes, "and the rest of [the proceeds] will probably go back to the state. That's generally how it works."

In the case of the Gordon tire dump, he said, "We've got a big lien on there that is probably worth more than the property."

"Let's say they sold it for \$100,000," McMullin said. "The town would get the

\$5,000 or so it's owed in taxes and we'd probably end up with \$95,000."

"The citizens of the state have got some money invested in that place," he said.

"The state has no intention of never letting this land be developed, or go to a better use," McMullin said. "But we have a fiduciary responsibility to our citizens to recover any monies we can."

'Beautiful spot'

When the town foreclosed on the property, there were high hopes for its potential.

Then Selectman Wayne Hakala described it in 2004 as "a beautiful spot for a subdivision."

A park, with mountain-bike trails was also mentioned, and even a gas-fired power plant — since the Portland Natural Gas Transmission System pipeline runs along the Rabbit Road.

But none of that has come to pass, and Sparks said she has begun to hear from residents who feel it is time to at least get the property back on the tax rolls.

The tire-dump parcel is one of eight tax-acquired parcels of land the town is offering.

Tax maps, terms of sale and other information on the properties can be reviewed at the Town Office in Locke Mills (875-2773).



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The Next Depression

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"There was a better solution pushed by McCain's allies in the Congress that did not involve an economic dictator or a taxpayer bailout. AND I WOULD HAVE SUPPORTED THAT MEASURE. Of course, nothing at all from Mike Michaud about the Current Crisis. Mike is just marking time waiting for his pension(s) to grow.

"How can this be a 'crisis of capitalism', as the Media Elites claim, when the plain facts show that it was Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac, already bloated quasi-government bureaucracies and dangerously freed from market discipline, that caused the impending collapse? The whole 'subprime mortgage' crisis was invented by Democrats like Barney Frank (and a few Republicans, please note) as a payoff to groups they wanted votes from. And of course made extravagant contributions to the Democrat Party.

"The government can't possibly hand out vast sums without oversight, controls and restrictions. Since two of the principal failures, Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac were already under congressional oversight, we can be fairly certain that these controls will be confusing, destructive and incompetent. Still they are inescapable. No one can reasonably oppose intervention when the markets are close to a true meltdown.

"As such intervention will mobilize legions of lobbyists, etc. working on behalf of the institutions involved, I propose full disclosure of donations received by congressmen from the affected institutions to be published in the newspapers in their states and districts at the time they receive them. As for limiting the salaries of executives whose companies share benefits of the bailout, same rule applies as above. They take the money, they take the restrictions. The whole mess strengthens my desire to see restrictions on congressional salaries and perks, but I suppose that is beyond all hope.

"This crisis may or may not cause a Depression, but when the same crisis recurs in the future with Medicaid or Social Security, there won't be enough money on Earth to save us. Better to reform now, than crash later. But few voters, and fewer politicians, want to talk about real issues. They'd rather talk about Palin's glasses or Biden's hair. They feel there are no votes in discussing complex and painful choices that face us all.

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Super Crossword

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From the Bethel Police Log:

Tuesday, Sept. 30

At 4:23 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor took a report of a theft on the Egypt Mountain Rd. A chain saw and a duffel bag with a dozen tools had been taken during the first week in September.

At 5:45 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to a road off Route 2 for a possible trespass. A motor home was parked on a lot. Two subjects said they had been traveling and were looking for a place to park for the night. They were told to find the nearest suitable campground for motor homes.

Monday, Sept. 29

At 7:55 p.m. Lt. S.R. White responded to a Route 2 location for a report of one subject threatening another. There was no assault. Both were warned for disorderly conduct.

Sunday, Sept. 28

At 11:23 a.m. Officer Rusty Daley assisted Bethel Rescue with a medical call.

At 3:30 p.m. on Main St. Lt. S.R. White arrested Susan M. Jamison, 23, of Greenwood on an arrest warrant.

At 9:46 p.m. Officer George Gould responded to the Mayville Rd. for a report of an attempted shoplifting. A clerk confronted a subjected trying to take items. He returned them to the shelf and then left the store. Trespass notices were given to two subjects.

Saturday, Sept. 27

At 6 p.m. Lt. S.R. White assisted a county deputy at an accident location in Greenwood.

Friday, Sept. 26

At 11:24 p.m. Officer Jason Goff responded to Mason St. for a report of a loud noise. A vehicle had left the property at a high rate of speed.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of police activity, such as routine speeding tickets and other civil violations. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

From the Oxford County Sheriff:

(Bethel region)

Saturday, Sept. 27

At 5:39 p.m. Deputy Josh Wyman responded to the Howe Hill Rd. in Greenwood for a two vehicle accident with injuries.

Oxford County Jail:

(Bethel region)

Sept. 26, 1:15 p.m.: Shanon M. McAlister, 20, of Bethel, burglary, theft; by Deputy Justin Brown in Bethel.

Sept. 26, 2 p.m.: Richard E. Hatstat, 52, of Norway, violation of bail conditions; by Trooper Adam Fillebrown, on Woodman Loop, Albany.

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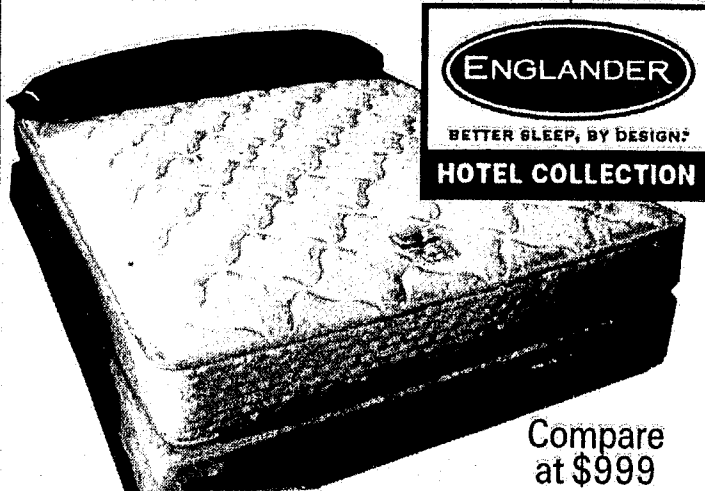
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Bethel



by Donald G. Bennett

New building in Mayville
Behind the Rooster's Roadhouse restaurant

on Route 2, a new apartment building is going up. It will have two second-floor apartments and two garages on the ground level. The owners plan to use the garages themselves and offer the apartments for seasonal rentals. Two cupolas are resting on the ground waiting to be lifted into place to give the building a look consistent with the main structures.

Another New: Town of Bethel has new website

The town's online presence has been given a pleasing, professional facelift. Along with the appearance it has a bulletin board for notices on the home page. Last week for instance it posted the road-closing schedule on Intervale Road. Mark Harrington's excellent photography of what looks like a view of Puzzle Mountain heads each page. This version also gives writer Wende Gray's perception of the town overall — Bethel is a town where the common is uncommon; where Brooks Bros. sells pliers and wrenches, Victoria's Secret is a chocolate raspberry dessert and the Timberland Outlet is an exit for logging trucks. Astride the Androscoggin River, nestled at the base of Paradise Hill, Bethel is truly "just this side

of Paradise. Most rural villages are one-industry towns. (If all Bethel is nestled at the foot of Paradise Hill, the image has excluded about 80 percent of the town.) Bethel is a rare blend of farming, forestry, woods product manufacturing, education, and tourism. In the past decade, the community has become home to active retirees, eschewing the world of Sun City and professionals who have chosen the small town lifestyle over that of the megalopolis."

Although the writer's perception, above, may be slightly skewed, overall it is a superb piece of work.

A visit

to Tom White's studio

Besides Tom's pending trip to England, he has also finished an eight-foot-high sculpture of a Vietnam War soldier that is headed to Big Piney, Wyo. It will be placed in the Big Piney Veteran's Cemetery. He is also working on a Marilyn Monroe piece that comes from an unforgettable quick scene in "Seven Year Itch." When it is completely finished instead of being cast in bronze it will be a jelly-bean figure. You can see Tom's work at this Web link: www.tomwhitestudio.com/public-art-monuments-bronze-statues-figurative-sculptures-by-tom-white.

Gould reunion weekend

Bob Keniston was flag bearer for his class of 1938 last Saturday when old grads and new alumni lined up for a parade to Ordway Hall for the annual reunion weekend luncheon. Lots of familiar faces were around and I had a chance to meet some new ones. Kathy and I had our first chance to

carry the 1952 class baton. Inside the dining hall there must have been nearly 300 alumni and spouses. Opposing chiefs, the Arch Democrat and the Arch Republican of Oxford County shared a table — Cathy and Charlie Newell and Stan Howe. Charlie acted as referee. Later, Cathy Newell disclaimed any discussion of current events.

Turf is down on Gould's new athletic field

The academy's newest athletic field has its new synthetic surface in place. Its green will not turn to brown later in the fall. What stands out the most is the vividness of all the field markings — lines and circles.

Tribute to Jack Greig

From Ron Willard in Virginia: "Jack and I were close friends particularly during Middle School after my family moved to Bethel in 1950. We did a variety of things together and I can recall visits with the Greig family on Vernon Street. Jack's parents, Norm and June Greig, always made me feel welcome in their home. Although we spent little time together at Gould, I will always remember Jack's good humor and friendship. Our sympathy to Jack's family and friends, and I wish I could be with you as you celebrate Jack's life. Sincerely,

Ronald (Ron) Willard (Gould Academy '57)"

This Old House

Remodeling the former Rowe family homestead, 31 Park Street in Kimball Park, will soon become a four condo property inside a 19th Century shell. Like many of the other old homes in Bethel village, it has much more story to tell than just being another old house.

One of Bethel's most distinguished merchants, Ceylon Rowe (1838-1922), followed by three generations of his descendants lived here from 1864 to 1978, 114 years. The house was built in 1861 following development of Kimball Park. In 1864, Ceylon Rowe married Mary Grover of Bethel. Ceylon had been employed for three years as an agent for the new Bethel Steam Mill Co, thus being able to pay for a new house for his bride. Besides a good income, Ceylon very likely also benefited from an apprenticeship in solid business basics through his agent's job with an out-of-state firm.

By the time Ceylon owned his own store business, he had 12 years of store operating experience behind him. The store was one in a block of stores named the Kimball Block, across the road around the Bethel Common,

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on what is now fire station property. His learning the trade showed through the remainder of his career in his shrewdness, energy and business skills, which set him apart from his Main Street peers. For example, his buying trips to Boston and New York where he always paid cash enabled him to offer first-class clothing styles and materials in Bethel at much lower prices than one would expect. He would make the trip and arrange for his purchases to be shipped back to Bethel by train. Of all the merchants in town he was the only one reported in the news as making this effort for his rural customers. His customers would also send in mail orders asking him to fill them when they lived too far to travel to his store. Main Street Bethel had become saturated with general stores and Ceylon Rowe's marketing initiative is what kept him ahead of the pack. Ceylon Rowe's custom-made safe is still in use at Brook Bros.' store.

Besides his business, Mr. Rowe was a long-time Gould Academy trustee, a 61-year Master Mason and a member of the Bethel Village Corporation volunteers plus a coporator of the Bethel Water Company.

Ceylon Rowe was an acknowledged authority on Bethel's history. His grandmother was a daughter of Eleazer Twitchell, Sudbury Canada plantation's first and only general manager, and through family connections he was related to many of the early settling families.

At one time, the Rowe brothers, Ceylon, Edwin and Almon, owned three of Bethel's most familiarly known

town residences, besides that of Ceylon, Edwin owned the Broad Street home where Dick and Sally Taylor live, and Almon owned the home known as the "Upson Home" also on Broad Street.

Thanks go to Rosalind Rowe Chapman and Margery Rowe Swan who have provided family information for this article.

Part Two will continue next week.

Work continues on Broad Street sidewalk improvement

Bedard Excavation Co and Bethel public works men have partially completed one leg of the initial widening of Broad Street with new storm sewer facilities in one section of the overall 700-foot improvement project.

Paying homage to Albert Wellington Grover — Bethel's 19th Century Sidewalk King

Road Commissioner Grover was an energetic public official to say the least. Once a farmer in West Bethel he sold his farm and moved to Bethel Hill. Sidewalks in the 1890s were sought after public amenities that suffered from inaction similar to our current experience. As a maverick among the other elected officials, on his own he took on the job of building a sidewalk from the post office (then located near the head of Main Street) to the rail station. In the town report for 1895 he submitted a separate report on what he had done.

"In justice to all I beg leave to submit the following separate report as one of the road commissioners: For several years the business of Bethel village has required improved sidewalks, consequently when entering upon the labor of a road

commissioner last March I found myself between two fires at the very first. On one side was the urgent demand of the villagers for the beginning of permanent sidewalks, and on the other was the old time custom of putting the highway labor every where else but into sidewalks. Here my obligations and duties as a servant of the town were seriously considered, and not generally favoring radical changes, it was late in the season before decided steps were taken. The decision was based to some extent, on."

Then Grover continued by listing his justifications for going ahead with the project. He ended his report with a breakdown of the sidewalk's costs pointing out that 28 percent of the expenses were covered by donations from 26 property owners.

Bits and Pieces

After mowing the field next to our house last week, on one morning dog walk, we (dog and I) saw much evidence of wild animal digging for the hundreds of mice and moles in the field. A few days later, when walking in the woods next to the field I saw a coyote bound across the path in front of us. It was one of the biggest coyotes I have seen around our place.

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West Bethel

by
Lorrie Hoeh
We were gone for a week, and fall happened! We went with

our friends, the Bowens, to an Elderhostel on Grand Manan Island in New Brunswick. The drive to the ferry landing at Blacks Harbor on Sunday, the 21st, showed very little color anywhere between here and there. On the way back, however, the trees were brilliant, even in Saturday's downpour.

The Elderhostel's title was "Autumn Whales and Seabirds, Exploring Tide Pools, and Lighthouses of Grand Manan." It far exceeded our expectations. On Sunday evening after dinner, we had an introductory talk and slide show about whales and seabirds by Laurie Murison, who runs a whale research station on the island.

Monday was quite windy, so the planned whale watch was postponed until Tuesday. We went instead to the Grand Manan Museum, a fascinating place where we learned a good deal of island history and saw artifacts of the sardine and smoked herring industry, as well as seeing the huge lens of a now-defunct lighthouse. Later that day we had a nature walk with Jim Leslie, the co-owner of Marathon House, the lovely Victorian Inn where we stayed.

After dinner there was a slide show with commentary by Laurie on tidal pools. The food, by the way, was outstanding. We had wonderful choices and three squares a day, including homemade bread and rolls, fresh blueberry pancakes, dessert twice a day, and some of the best coffee we've ever tasted. My only complaint was that the syrup was not the real thing, and I am spoiled and will settle only for genuine maple syrup.

Tuesday was much more conducive to a boat trip, and the whale watch was on. We saw (literally!) tons and tons of whales. Most thrilling was multiple sightings of the endangered northern right whale. We also saw and photographed minke, finback, and humpback whales; harbor porpoises by the dozen; a basking shark; and several varieties of pelagic birds. Laurie and the boat crew were all very knowledgeable about what we were seeing, and the captain always positioned the boat for the best view of the animals.

Another nature walk with Jim in the afternoon showed us some of the migratory songbirds, like "confusing fall warblers." That night we visited a lighthouse on the western side of the island and watched the sunset over the Maine coast. We also spent Thursday morning touring and viewing lighthouses all over the island and beyond.

Wednesday morning was devoted to visiting the Whale Research Station and the working waterfront at North Head harbor. That afternoon it was tidal pools; interesting critters that dwell under rocks and seaweed or that burrow in the muck; and seaweed of multiple varieties. We found dulse, nori, rockweed, kelp, and others I can't recall.

On our industrial tour on Friday, we visited the now-defunct smokehouses and cannery, where until about ten years ago there was a thriving business in smoking fish and canning sardines. All that is gone now from the island, although there is still a big cannery at Blacks Harbor on the mainland.

Next stop was a dulse dealer,

with huge areas for sun-drying the dulse that local folks gather to sell to him. He then dries it, packages it, and sells it. We all tasted the crispy type and the softer kind, and several of us bought bags of one kind or another. When you put the crispy type in the microwave for several seconds, it comes out smelling and tasting like popcorn. Dulse is supposed to be good for whatever ails you. I even bought some powdered dulse to use as a seasoning.

Friday night, our last night, we had a "graduation," each of us receiving a pseudo diploma. Jim is a talented raconteur and had many stories to share of characters from past Elderhostels, amusing and/or troubling events. It seems that some visitors have had unexplained things happen to them in this old inn, like locked doors opening in the middle of the night. Well, we finally said goodnight, since half of us had to meet the early ferry on Saturday.

About 11, just as I was finally drifting off to sleep, the fire alarm sounded in the hallway outside our door, and we, along with all the others, threw on raincoats and shoes and trooped down in our pajamas and over to the main building. After flailing around for awhile, we finally found the co-owner, Lizzie, who lives on the premises. The whole thing was a fluke, as there was no fire or smoke, so the alarm was turned off and reset.

Next morning I asked Jim if he had purposely told us the ghost stories to prepare us for the alarm, and was it the ghost who started it. His more mundane answer was that it was likely just the humidity. I think I like the ghost answer better.

Sunday was the first day of the Fryeburg Fair, and the remnants of Kyle caused an all-day rain, so attendance was down. However, Monday was partly sunny and warm, so things picked up. At lunchtime on Sunday I

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chanced to meet Pauline and John Applin at the Turkey Farm booth, where we all had the same idea for lunch — fresh, free-range turkey sandwiches. They were tending the State Grange booth that morning.

I checked out the Agricultural Hall to see how Pleasant Valley Grange fared. They garnered a second-place ribbon for their agricultural exhibit and a third-place ribbon for their handcraft exhibit. Not at all bad for a small town like ours, and there was some pretty hefty competition. Congratulations to our Grangers for a job well done.

Time to stop gabbing on. Hope I see some of you at the Fair. Meanwhile, get in touch with news and views: 836-3011; dhoe@megalink.net.

Gilead



by
Lin Chapman

The month of October has arrived and so has the colored

leaves on the trees. We noticed the difference from last week when we went to Gorham, N.H. The mountains in Shelburne had changed quite a lot.

Steve and Lise McLain attended his 45th class reunion from Gould Academy this past weekend. The event was held at the Jordan Grand in Sunday River. It is hard to believe that my brother, Steve McLain, graduated 45 years ago!

Norm Buttrick also graduated from Gould. He and Cathy attended his 50th class reunion this past weekend.

Town Office

The next selectmen's meeting will be held on Oct. 8 at 7 p.m. at the Town Office.

Gilead Fire Department

The Gilead Fire Department met on Sept. 23 in the meeting room at the new Town Office. There were 12 members present to attend the Public Safety Traffic Flag course. Some members had never taken the course before and others took it for review. It is required for a flagger to take this course to be able to direct traffic at an accident scene. There are many safety issues involved, especially at a scene on a major highway such as Route 2. Steve McLain, who was the instructor, handed out a quiz and a discussion was held on each question. Everyone passed and will receive a card and certificate at the next meeting.

After the training, a short meeting was held before heading for the fire station for a quick lesson on how to start the squad truck and

what items it has that needs to be delivered to the scene. Driver Training Course with Driving Instructor Steve McLain will be held on Sunday, Oct. 5 at the Transfer Station between 8 a.m. and Noon. This will be a good time to learn how to drive the squad truck.

Gilead Historical Society

The GHS held the Annual Meeting and Pot Luck Supper on Sept. 27. There were approximately 30 people who attended. There were lots of delicious items to choose from for the main course and dessert.

At the meeting that followed, there was a quick rundown of last year's events and then the president headed right into what is happening in 2009.

The drawing of the beautiful quilt that was made by Sandra Laughy was held. To make things fair, Jakob Hooper, who came with his grandmother, Beverley Corriveau, drew the ticket. The winner of the quilt was Lise McLain. She is very excited over having won it. Sandra has graciously volunteered to make another quilt for next year and Mary will make one also. It is nice to have talented people!

It was decided that we should hold Friends and Family Day again and a date of June 20, 2009 was set. There will be three planning dates: March 28, May 16 and June 13. We will need as many volunteers as possible. At this point, this is the only event planned, but in March, there may be something added on.

The Annual Meeting and Pot Luck Supper is scheduled for Sept. 26, 2009 and will be held at 1 p.m. instead of in the evening. The meeting will follow the meal.

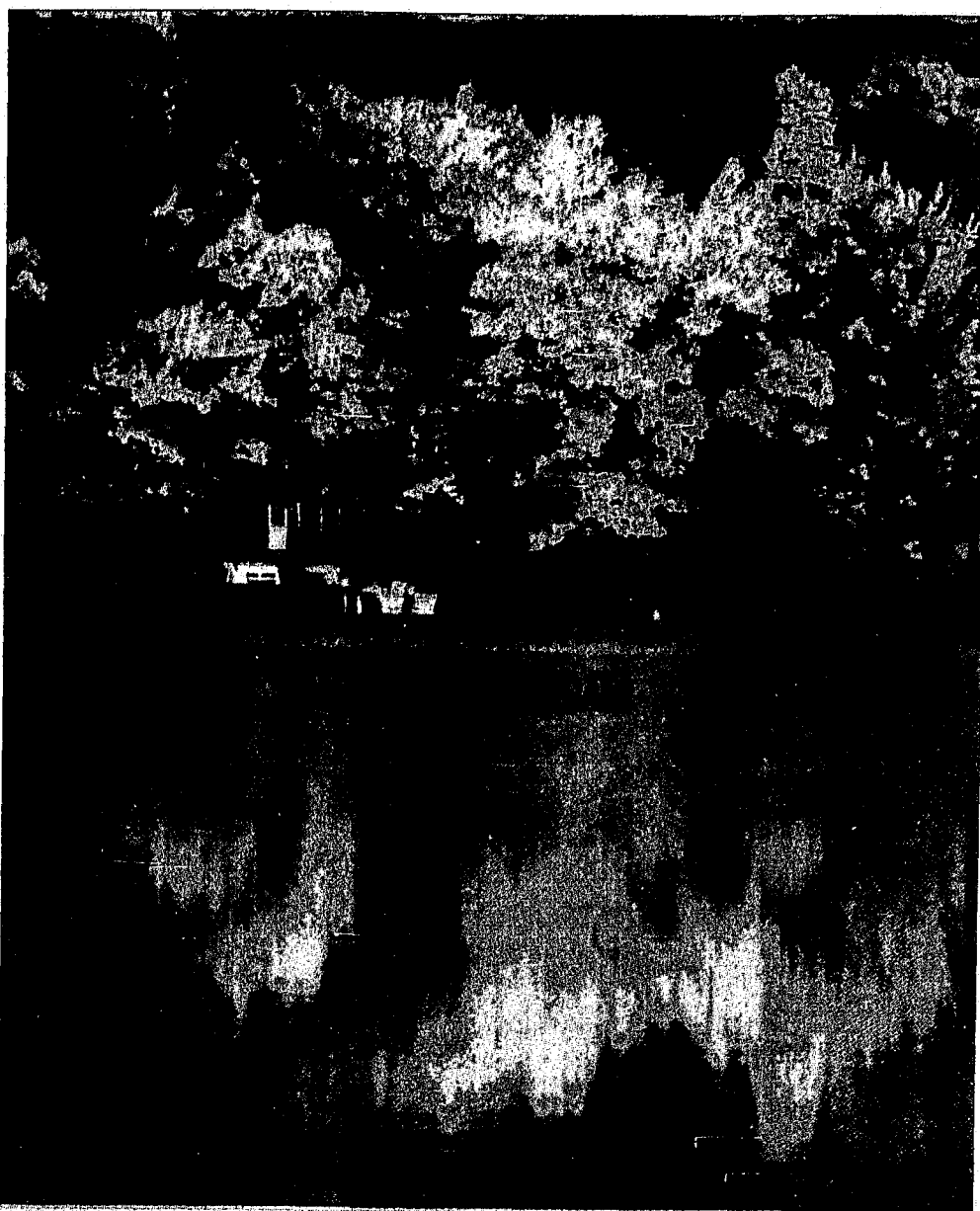
The Election of Officers was held and the president read the recommendations of the committee: president, Steve McLain; vice president, Mary Tyler; secretary, Hugh Chapman; treasurer, Gale Tout; trustee (3-year), Norm Buttrick. All of the officers were elected. Thanks to the outgoing officers who have served over the past three years.

There are a couple of new projects in the works for the GHS. The cemeteries in town do not have any signs so a design was approved and it will be taken to local sign maker Don Katlin to see what he can do with the project. There is also a plan to do a booklet on the schools in Gilead. It will contain some of the history and a lot of the pictures that several members have collected.

The land donated to the GHS by Steve and Lise McLain will, at some point in the future, provide a space for the home of the society. A committee was appointed by the president to oversee the events that will lead up to this. The mem-

QUIET AND COLORFUL On Sunday Hurricane Kyle brought wind and rain to the Maine coast. But on Songo Pond in Albany, the waters barely stirred.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)



bers appointed were: Bob Bishop, Judy Bishop, Hugh Chapman, Norm Buttrick and Ford Reiche.

The newsletter will be going out to all the members in November. The last event of the year will be on Oct. 26 at the Town Hall. It will be a lecture on the railroad by John Davis. More details as the date gets closer.

As always the GHS is looking for any historical material that pertains to Gilead.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com.

Upton



by
Laurie Brown

I'm sorry I didn't get my column done last week. I had no earth-

shattering news to report, neither did I have a scarcity of words or thoughts to share. I did, however, have a brain cramp, which caused me to lose track of the days, and the Citizen's deadline.

Oct. 25 is the day volunteers will meet at the schoolhouse yard to cut brush and trees. If you have a wood chipper, we need you and your machine. Can you please let me know if

you'll be there? Call 533-2111. We'll need people with chainsaws, weed whackers, brush cutters, as well. Mark it on your calendar — Oct. 25 the day town folks will work together to re-create Upton Corner. See you there.

While you're marking your calendar, circle Nov. 8. The Ladies Aid will be hosting a potluck Hunter's Supper at 6 p.m. Call me or Leslie Aron if you'd like to contribute to the meal. Otherwise, I hope you'll come enjoy the food.

The Planning Board met Sept. 26. Joe Bernier, Diane Williamson, Rose Stevens, Bob Brown, Jennifer Casey and Dennis Casco were all present.

Michael Yarnell submitted an application to relocate an existing boathouse. The board is discussing his request.

Paul Casey requested and received a permit to build a tree house. The next meeting will be held Oct. 24, since the last Friday of the month is Halloween.

The 1957 Town Report was dedicated to Judkins' Store and the Lake House Hotel. The store closed the previous September and the hotel burned in August of 1956. According to Horace Goodrum's report on the front cover, the hotel was built by Simon Frost in 1843. In 1860 he enlarged his 1-1/2 story house and opened

it to the public. It was a popular resort for sportsmen. Frost was one of three that formed a company that built the first steamboat. "The Diamond" carried passengers and freight on Umbagog Lake, the Upper Androscoggin River and down to Errol and on the Magalloway River. In January 1920, the Durkees bought the property and reestablished it as a resort hotel. Mable Durkee continued to operate the hotel after her husband's death.

After the fire, Mrs. Durkee contemplated renting her cottages and remodeling her winter house, but didn't rebuild the hotel site. What a loss to our town by fires.

On Oct. 4, Groucho was born in 1890, Kelly Ripa in 1970, King Richard III in 1452.

In Oct. 4, 1957, the Soviet Union successfully launched Sputnik I, the first artificial satellite.

On Oct. 4, 1777, George Washington's troops attacked the British at Germantown, Pa.

The first U.S. open Golf Tournament was held at Newport Country Club in Rhode Island, and in 1957 on this date, "Leave It to Beaver" premiered on CBS.

Do you know who Barbara Ferrair is? She won an Afghan at the Ladies Aid Craft Fair and attempts to reach her at the Upton number on her ticket have been in vain. She should call Leslie Aron at 533-2481 to make arrangements to collect her prize.

Stateline Snowmobile Club is holding its first meeting at the schoolhouse on Oct. 4.

What did the dirt say to the rain? "If this keeps up, my name will be mud."

Enjoy your week. Selah

Greenwood City



by
Wayne Hakala

We had a visitor on Thursday evening.

Harold and Dorene just had to bring Thunder up to visit me. Thunder is a 10-week-old yellow Lab and truly will be a big pup. Thunder was on his best behavior for a 10-week old. He just loves to follow Harold around and get into everything. Including some grease in the garage. Had a good size spot on his left front leg where he got a bit too close. I'm sure it will not be the last time.

Ray and Norene had Sarah and Zack's pup, Sam, for the weekend. Sam is yellow Lab too and growing out of a walking problem. While Sam is on a rug, he does fine.

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But that tile or wood flooring does present a challenge. Sam would love to have Buster play and Buster is rather reserved. Buster doesn't quite know what to make of Sam. Maggie will sit close to Sam and Andy is content to take a nap.

After a very bad day Monday, I did not make it to therapy on Tuesday. Spent the day at Togus for two appointments and a call at Urgent Care. Have another infection and it truly took the wind out of my sail. Really didn't feel worth two cents till Thursday. But we are on the go now.

There are Legion and Auxiliary meetings this Thursday at 7 p.m. Just as reminder to members. Also coming up is the Auxiliary October Harvest Supper Dance. This will be on the 14th and doors will open at 4 p.m. Dinner will start at 5:30 and music till 9:30. Music will be provided by the Richard Felt Band. Anita and crew are thinking of several goodies. Expect to see corned beef and ham for those that can pass by the beef. I can't get by either. Will let you know what the rest is going to be when I know. Right now I think is on a need-to-know basis.

Thursday after my blood draw, I took the JD and rode down thru the woods and part way up the hill to the old farm on Whittle Hill Road. But decided I better not get into any trouble by navigating thru the true meaning of rocky road. With all the rains, the hill is rather rough. Maybe when my knee is all good, I'll take the JD up thru. I did get some nice pictures of the foliage and just had a wonderful afternoon.

I did send a message to Tater that my JD could out work his orange thingy any day of the week. Haven't heard back yet and expect it

will be good. Course Tater will continue to be the Chief Pilot as he has had a lot of practice piling higher and higher. And sometimes you just have to pull up your pants legs and run for high ground. If the pile ever toppled, I expect Route 232, the Androscoggin and Route 2 would be backed up for quite awhile.

Time to close the book on the regular season and head to the play-offs. I'm ready but not sure if I like the idea of the West Coast games. Sure we will work it out. So please support the Sox in their run for another series ring. Sure will be strange without the Yankees, but that is life! Go Sox!

Mason



by Richard Grover

Last weekend was "alumni weekend" at Gould Academy, and it was also the

50th anniversary of my graduation from that school. I got re-acquainted with several of my classmates whom I had not seen in the past 50 years. The odd part of the whole thing is that those old people are not the same kids I spent so many days in classrooms with! About 40 of our 81 Class of 1958 graduates made it to our "50th," even though 10 of them are no longer with us.

Probably the best part of the weekend for me was watching classmate Guy Whitten get inducted into the Gould Academy Athletic Hall of Fame. Guy earned nine letters in his time at Gould and another six while he attended the University of Maine at Orono.

Another highlight of the weekend for Mona and me was the visit of my niece Lee Phippen and her husband Paul

from Orofino, Idaho. I have always been close to Lee because she was just one class behind me in school, and we share many happy memories from our experiences in the 1950s. We had many laughs relating our experiences from those days and some others since. If anything, we have many fewer hang-ups and inhibitions than we had then and can relax better now! We plan another reunion next year when she returns to Bethel for her 50th.

Last week, Craig Ryerson went moose hunting north of Millinocket with his son, Keith, and grandson, 12-year-old Austin who got a moose permit for this year. Those three camped in a tent on Saturday night before the first day of open season. Next day they decided to move and set up camp in another campground nearer their preferred hunting site. They repacked all their gear and placed it in their utility trailer. Keith strapped the folded tent into a plastic tote box and fastened the tote box securely (he thought) on the trailing end of the trailer. After checking out their chosen hunting area, they decided to set up camp in a nearby campsite. Keith checked the trailer and discovered that the tent and box were missing. "Somebody stole our tent!" he exclaimed. "Naw. Nobody steals stuff around these parts. It must have fallen off the trailer," Craig responded. "We'll probably find it back down the road." So they headed back down the road.

Three or four miles back down the road, they found a batch of small blue pieces of plastic fitting the description of the tent box, but no tent. Craig said it looked like one of those huge log trucks must have come trucking down the road with a full load of logs and run over the tent box. He figured the truck must have then struck and smashed the blue plastic tent box to smithereens, and the tent must have flown up and got hung up on the truck grill.

The result was that the hunters

were "homeless" until they went back to the Millinocket Wal-Mart and bought a new tent. The following day, they bagged a 780-pound bull moose and headed home. Craig is quite adept at calling moose and called one into rifle range.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

I was pleased to see Doug Webster at the BRTF on Saturday, Doug, Debbie, Claire and Cassidy had just returned from Phoenix, Ariz. They flew out with Debbie's mom and dad, Bud and Lynne Kulik. The reason for the trip was to celebrate Laverne Zilstra's 90th birthday. Laverne is Debbie's grandmother and Lynne's mother. While there the Webster's took a scenic train trip up to the Grand Canyon, which the four of them enjoyed very much.

This week's specialties at the Trading Post are chili and chowder and vegetable soups. Karlene Bachelder and Gilbert Seeley enjoyed Bethel's Best on the 24th. Gil is very fond of the lobster stew they serve. Karlene's son, Donald, from Louisiana, was here recently for a class reunion at Gould. He headed home this week.

Several weeks ago Tineke Owunga told me about the Post and Beam barn which her son-in-law, Scott Campbell, recreated at the Mattahorn Restaurant. Recently Donald G. Bennett did an excellent job of explaining the work. Scott did take this barn down in Lovell, moving it to Newry, and then putting it back together. It now will stay in Maine. Scott and Marlies live in Brownfield where his business is located.

This week, Mark came out for lunch and to help me with some chores. We always enjoy being together here. I hope to get him up into Grafton for foliage picture taking this

week.

Last week when I stopped to get the last of Norm Davis' corn, Constable Phil Taylor and his wife were purchasing some as well. Carol and I enjoyed our corn that evening and I am sorry that the only corn now will probably be that purchased at grocery stores. Norm does have lots of squash of various types, for eating and decorating. Each of the three sizes of pumpkins is marked with a price for small, medium and large at \$1, \$2 and \$3.

It is nice to see LeRoy's waterwheel spinning again.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club will have their first meeting on Sunday, Oct. 5, at 7 p.m. at the Town Office. Lots on the agenda and much to do before snow falls. Call Leon at 824-3335 or Ed at 824-3589. Anyone interested is more than welcomed to attend.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

The Gardner Roberts Memorial Library Association had

a meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 24. There was not a quorum present and no votes took place. Librarian Peggy Susbury reported on the activities taking place at the library. Work has started on providing electricity to the building and the "Celebration of Light" is scheduled for Oct. 10 starting at 6 p.m. It should be an interesting event and library enthusiasts hope there will be a good turnout of area residents.

The Gardner Roberts Library Association Annual Meeting will take place on Oct. 21, at 7 p.m. At the meeting the officers (president, vice president, secretary and treasurer) will be elected, as will five trustees.

Last Saturday the "Old Russell Place" high on the side of Mount Dimmock was the scene of a beautiful fall wed-

ding, Matt Ryerson and his lovely lady Crystal were married by a notary public accompanied by a guitarist. First to congratulate the happy couple was Samuel T. Brown III who made an impromptu entrance. Although the forecast for the day was rain, the sky lightened and the sun nearly made an appearance.

Jim Ray has returned to Triple J, arriving there on Sept. 26 following a motor trip from Austin, Texas. Judy is expected to join him on Oct. 4 after flying into Manchester, N.H.

Norman Ferguson, Jr. continues recovering at home following recent surgery.

Freeman Farrington, Donna and Clem Worcester, Janice and Danny Bennett and Michael Bennett traveled to Calais, Maine and St. Stephen, NB, Canada last Thursday to attend the International Pythian Jubilee. Events started with a Grand Chancellor's official visit at Anchor Lodge in Eastport on Thursday evening. On Friday there was registration and a dance at International Lodge in Milltown, NB. Activities on Saturday included Hands Across the Border, separate Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sister meetings, a roast beef supper, a memorial service, and evening entertainment. Because of bad weather the outdoor events were held inside. Janice Bennett is the Grand Chief of the Maine Pythian sisters and she lives in Milton Township. Her nephew, Michael Bennett, is Grand Prelate of the Maine Knights of Pythias.

Andover



by Melinda Averill

Mark your calendars for the upcoming Halloween Dance on Sat-

urday, Nov. 1, starting at 8 p.m. It will be held at the Andover Town Hall and is a benefit for Santa's Helpers.

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This Saturday, Oct. 4, Black Mountain of Maine is holding their 5th annual Family Fun Festival. There will be bike tours, a 1k and 5k race/walk, fly-casting demos, guided foliage hike and much more. Registration for all events starts at 7 a.m., followed by a Pancake Breakfast from 8 to 10 a.m. There will also be a chowder challenge from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. For more information, call 364-8977 or go on their website, skiblack-mountain.org.

Welcome October! Celebrating birthdays this week are Emma Nelson on Saturday, Daniel Vaughn on the 6th, and Abigail Jones on the 8th. A special belated happy birthday to Polly Johnston, way over there in Washington, on Oct. 6.

I would like to send my sympathy to the family of John Sylvester, who passed away on Sunday, Sept. 28. He grew up in Andover, graduating from Telstar Regional High School in Bethel. He worked for many years as a millwright for NewPage Paper Mill. He is survived by his daughters, Julie Steward and husband Roy of Dixfield, and Tina Aston and husband Thad of Auburn; his mother, Beverly Sylvester of Andover; grandchildren, Zachary Giberson of Rumford and Roman Curran of Bowdoinham; and several brothers and sisters and nieces and nephews.

Private services will be held at the family's convenience.

On Friday, tomorrow, the Andover fourth and fifth graders are going to make their annual hike up Whitecap. Let's hope they have good weather. (They have a rain date of Monday.) Have a nice weekend.

Locke Mills



by Lorraine Larson

I hope I may be forgiven that even though I have my computer fixed I am not going to be getting much

news in the paper.

I got up this morning to the news that my good friend, Diane Thurston, had died, which, even though I knew she wasn't feeling well, I certainly did not expect that.

Even if you did not know her, and Diane knew a lot of people, I am sure that we all offer her family the utmost sympathy. I, for one, am going to miss her dreadfully and I am sure she will be missed by many. She knew the Lord and she has gone to be in a better place; but, even knowing that, it seems as if she should have had a good many more years here.

She was one person I could count on to call me during the day and when one is alone that is very comforting. The world will not feel like quite the same place without Diane in it.

West Paris



by Joyce Lamb

After the frost of last week it turned much warmer, so all have been enjoying the light-warm rain and short, sunny days. The daylight hours have shrunk drastically. Neighbor Dana did a last mowing making the lawns ready for the long, snowy winter.

On Sunday Oct. 5, Sally Wright will be the speaker at the West Paris Universalist Church at 9 a.m. She will be speaking about her work with the people of Peru.

Beryl Bonny joined family and friends at the home of Marcia Butters in Waterford for a Pampered Chef Party. All had a good time.

On Saturday evening the Maine Musical Society presented the Maine Chamber

Ensemble performing "The Brandenburg Concertos" by Johann Sebastian Bach at the Franco-American Heritage Center in Lewiston. I was a guest of Dr. Donald Christie. After the program he gave me a tour of the beautiful large building, which was a former Catholic Church. It was an especially enjoyable evening for me for it was the first time for me to hear this type of beautiful music from such a talented group.

Fryeburg Fair is going strong. More sun than rain is predicted. I hope all have a good relaxed time. But maybe betting on the horses may not be relaxing! It is Maine's biggest fair. Jim and Chris Lamb have a booth there. Cynthia Lamb is spending the week at the fair with them to help out.

Muffin's distemper shot was due so she had a ride in her carrier in the car to see the vet in South Paris. She was very, very vocal in her protest and meowed loudly all the way down and back. She had no complaint about the shot. It is a fight to get her into the carrier but after the shot she huddled into the back as far away as possible from the doctor. She was glad to get home and has forgiven me now.

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

First a correction: two weeks ago in Mrs. Nieberle's news the people living in Bud Harlow's old house are Shawn and Stephanie Coffin, not Shawn and Carrie Cox. Thanks for calling me about the mix-up.

Remember on Monday, Oct. 13, Whitman Memorial Library will celebrate their 100th year. This celebration

is at the library with a Chinese Auction, Checker Tournament, Old-fashioned games, and Richard Felt's Band. Time is 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Come help them celebrate!

Sympathy is extended to the family of Lucille Robbins.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday school at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30, evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 is prayer meeting and Friday evening at 6:30 is Youth Group.

Franklin Grange 124 will meet on Monday, Oct. 6, for a regular meeting. For the program, bring your hobby or craft to show. Meeting starts at 7 p.m.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will go out to dinner (today) Oct. 2. This is the foliage trip to Town and Country in Gorham, N.H.

Albany



by Sheila Dyke

Greetings and hello from Albany Township. We hope that everyone

out there is well. The trees are certainly being full and beautiful with all the reds, oranges, yellows; simply beautiful.

The Improvement Association's yard sale will be Sat-

urday, Oct. 11, at the town office/hall. The proceeds go to repairing the roof. If you have any good, saleable stuff to donate, give Buzzie a call at 824-2568 to make arrangements for drop-off. They'd like all of the stuff in and marked the week prior to the sale.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep.

Waterford



by Rockie Graham

Fall is definitely here. The trees in our yard have caught up with those on Vernon Street and are beautiful reds and oranges. There is still some green, too, but it all looks nice. The pumpkins in the garden turned orange, too. All else is ready to go to bed, except the morning glories, which are bright blue.

Today, Tuesday, is day nine of laryngitis. It is very annoying and contrary to what some think; it is not a picnic for Dave.

He has to read what I write and interpret. For me, if I whisper, I cannot do so for more than five minutes and then it hurts my throat worse. For now I am laying low and staying out of trouble.

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Sports

High School Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 2, Livermore Falls 1; Sept. 24—Jamie Steven scored the winning goal in Telstar's 2-1 win over Livermore. After a 0-0 score at half, Livermore scored first. Whitney Mills (assist Lindsay James) scored to tie the game a minute later. Jamie's goal came 4 minutes later which proved to be the turning point in the game. Emma Davis, Taylor Maines, and Brianne Douglass (7 saves) stepped up defense to seal the win.—coach Gail Wight

High School J.V. Field Hockey

Telstar 6, Hall-Dale 0; Sept. 29—Telstar set the pace of the game in the first half and never looked back, defeating Hall-Dale 6-0. Lyndsay Merrill led the scoring with four goals. Katie Sumner had two goals and two assists and Kallie Brown had two assists. Echo Hoyt made seven saves in goal for the shut out. Great defensive support from Kendra Carter, Rose Wright, and Mary Mason.

Livermore Falls 1, Telstar 0; Sept. 24—The JV field hockey team lost a 1-0 game with Livermore Falls. Livermore scored in the first half. The Rebels had many scoring opportunities but just couldn't get the ball in the cage. Excellent offensive passing by Susan Newkirk, Katie Sumner, Kallie Brown, Hunter Verrill, and Sarah Averill. Echo Hoyt made many impressive saves in goal, helping to keep the score at 1-0.—coach Lori Davis

High School Golf

Livermore Falls 6, Telstar 1; Sept. 30—The Telstar golf team again shot their best team total of the year vs Livermore Falls and again were defeated by a strong Andies team in the prelim round of the MVC play offs. Anthony Dirago was the lone Rebel to win his match as he shot a year best 47. Corey Howard also shot his best round of the season with a 44. Trevor Kendall shot a 42 and Danny Whitney shot a 46 to aid the team to their 179 team total. The Rebels finish the year at 1-10 and have the MVC championships next week at Natanis Golf Course.

Mt. Valley 6, Telstar 1; Sept. 25—Telstar's Danny Whitney was the lone Rebel to win his match, Trevor Kendall played well but lost in a close match to Mt Valley's #1 player.

TMS Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 2, Dirigo 0; Sept. 30—Telstar played an amazing game of team work. Everyone played their positions, and there was a good communication. Jenna Putnam made the first goal. Molly Bruce and Gabby Conrad followed shortly after with their own goals. Kelsey Averill had some great stops and passing to the front line. Defense players were backing and covering when needed. Kayla Verrill stepped in and showed great skills as sweep. I am proud of the improvements the team has been working hard to master.—coach Tracy Morin

TMS J.V. Field Hockey

Telstar 0, Dirigo 0; Sept. 30—Telstar held off Dirigo with four saves in goal. Keeping the ball up to the forward line with great hustle were, Ellie Conrad, Sadie Elsworth, and Kayla Waterhouse. Much improvement was seen by all.—coach Amy Verrill

Youth Football

5th & 6th Grade Greenwood Spartans

Farmington 32, Greenwood 7; Sept. 21—The Farmington Giants

continued their dominating ways with a victory over our tough Spartans team. The Giants came out hard and fast in the first half and quickly opened up a lead. The Spartans kept fighting and with the leadership of Cameron Pike, David Pilgrim, and Greg Wheeler the defense finally settled down and began containing the Giants offense. The Spartans remained determined to stay in the game and come back. This was evident when Chris Wilday broke through their defense to run for a touchdown. It was an exciting moment when David Pilgrim kicked the extra point. There are not many players at this level who can kick the ball through the uprights and I know David had been practicing hard for this moment. A big apology goes out to Greg Wheeler, who had 12 tackles in the game against the Falcons, for not mentioning him in last week's article. The Spartans travel to Rumford Sunday to face the 49ers. (J. Elliot—Spartans Football)

3rd & 4th Grade Greenwood Spartans

Farmington 12, Greenwood 6; Sept. 21—The Spartans faced their toughest competition of the year and suffered their first loss, moving their record to 3-1. The Farmington Bobcats caught the Spartans defense off guard and scored on the opening drive of the game, but the Spartans came right back with a touchdown run by Tanner Wheeler. It was a tough defensive game from then on. The score remained 6 to 6 until late in the fourth quarter when the Bobcats finally broke through the Spartans line to score the go ahead touchdown. The Spartans looked like they were going to answer the score with one of their own, but time ran out and the Bobcats took home the win. Kellen True did a great job at center making sure that wet football got into the hands of his QB's Elijah Mason and Duncan Forbes. Tasker Winslow added some much needed energy to a hard-fighting Spartans defense. Hats off to the entire team for working as a unit and making this game an exciting game to watch. (J. Elliot—Spartans Football)

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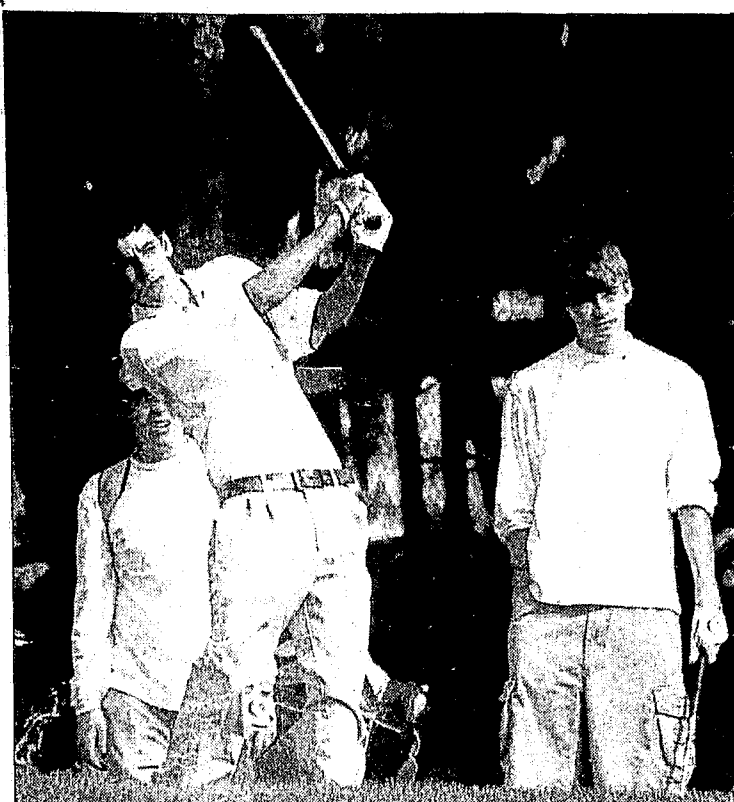
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Wednesday: Macaroni and cheese, ham sticks, homemade anadama bread, green beans, pbj sandwich.
Thursday: Fresh hot pizza choices, plain and pepperoni, homemade brownie, pbj sandwich.
Friday: Teachers Workshop.
Fruit and veggie bar daily (2 servings of fruit and 2 servings of vegetables).



EYE ON THE BALL—Telstar sophomore Josh Krahn tees off on the first hole at the Bethel Inn last Thursday in a golf match against Mountain Valley. Mountain Valley came out on top.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

High School Boys' Varsity Soccer

Telstar 2, Livermore 0; Sept. 30—Starting the Telstar scoring in the second half was Eihan Morin on a pass by Frankie DelDuca. DelDuca later scored the second goal. Deagan Conrad and Casey Thornton also played well on offense. James Kimball, Elek Pew, Patrick Gallagher, Alex Gundersen and Joel Putnam anchored the Rebels defense. The Rebels played great defense and Dan Vaughn's 6 saves in the net helped preserve the shutout.—coach Tim Remington

Telstar 3, Mt. Valley 1; Sept. 25—Telstar goals were scored by Casey Thornton, Frankie DelDuca, and Deagan Conrad. West Doyon and Frankie DelDuca had assists. Strong defensive play by James Kimball, Patrick Gallagher, Alex Gundersen, Elek Pew, and Joel Putnam. Dan Vaughn had 6 saves in goal.—coach Tim Remington

High School Boys' J.V. Soccer

Telstar 2, Mt. Valley 0; Sept. 25—Telstar's Casey Thornton scored the first goal on a pass from Tyler Brown, and Daniel Vaughn netted the second from Jacob Wakefield. Josh Bellinger, Andrew Sprague, Trent Bonney, and Mike Black joined with keeper Joel Putnam to squelch the Falcon attack.—coach Bob Remington

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Events Calendar

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mini Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

Every Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m. — The Yet To Be Named Banjo Club practices in the Commons of the Fare Share Market at 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists invited to join. Public welcome to come and listen. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2680.

First and Third Wednesdays 9 to 12 a.m. — Veterans' Advocate will be at Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris.

Wednesdays 6 to 7:30 p.m. — People in recovery from alcohol/drug addiction may need to move to a Next Step group. Open to everyone who feels they may benefit from a change. FMI: call Laurence Austin at 824-4077 (all calls confidential).

Wednesday nights — TOPS, take off pounds sensibly, meets at Bethel Alliance Church from 5:30 to 6 p.m. (weigh in) and meeting from 6 to 6:30 p.m. All welcome. FMI: call 824-3288.

Wednesdays 10 to 11 a.m. — Tai Chi at Ellie's Express and 5 to 6 p.m. at Bethel Family Health Center. Taught by Betsey Foster, MPH. To register, contact Betsey at 875-2426 or BSF@megalink.net.

Thursdays 1 to 3 p.m. — Cross Country Quilters of Pine Tree Quilt Guild of Maine meet at Moses Mason House Barn, corner of Broad and Mason streets, Bethel. All quilters welcome. No dues, no rules, just fun. FMI: call Ginny Keniston (824-2661) or e-mail Pat McCartney at p.quilts@yahoo.com.

Saturdays — Bethel Farmers Market every Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon thru Oct. 25 at Bethel Area Health Center parking lot, Railroad Street.

Bake Sale every Friday noon until sold out at United Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel.

Thru Friday, Oct. 24 — Owen Art Gallery will have on display the work of abstract and landscape local artist Mary Isham.

This Fall: — Michael Tatom bronze animals on show/sale at Harvest Gold Gallery, Route 5 North, just after the Center Lovell Market. FMI: call 925-6502.

Thru Saturday, Oct. 5

Fryeburg Fair. Exhibit halls, museums, midway, livestock shows, harness racing, musical entertainment, etc. FMI: visit www.fryeburgfair.com.

Thursday, Oct. 2

4:30 to 6 p.m. — "A Visit to Safe Passage," Hanely Denning's program to save Guatemala City's dump children, topic of Down Home Maine program sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College at the Rooster's Roadhouse private dining room, 159 Mayville Road, Route 2, Bethel. Pat and Henry Stewart, program volunteers, will share experiences and show the Academy Award nominated film, "A Recycled Life." Cash bar and light hors d'oeuvres. FMI: call 665-2181 or 836-2576.

6 p.m. — Patrick Ross, fiddler, will perform at Errol Town Hall, presented by town of Errol and Errol Consolidated School, and will feature Errol students, who have been working with Ross. Bake sale and coffee offered by Errol Lock-Up Renovation Committee. FMI: call 482-3884.

Friday, Oct. 3

5 to 8 p.m. — Frost Farm Gallery, Pikes Hill, Norway will hold "First Friday" reception at the gallery. Exhibit and sale feature plain air landscapes of Maine and other works by Janet Gill. Opening free and open to public. Light refreshments. FMI: call the gallery at 743-8041.

5 to 8 p.m. — "Something About Light: The Fine Art of Murad Sayen" opens with reception at Lajos Matolcsy Arts Center, 480 Main Street, Norway. Special airing of "Laurels" by Sayen will air Oct. 10 as fundraiser for Western Maine Art Group. FMI or for tickets for "Laurels" call 739-6161 or write to westernmaineartgroup@gmail.com.

Friday, Oct. 3 thru Wednesday, Oct. 8

Kenny Harlow, Virginia Horse Whisperer, will be at Painted Sky Ranch, 16 Andrews Brook Road, West Paris. On Oct. 3 from 7 to 9 p.m., a demonstration who he is and the work he does (\$5 at door); on Oct. 4 and 5 training clinic, he will work with unbroken and

It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information presented here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held.

Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

problem horses during day (\$15 at door for all day); Oct. 6, 7 and 9, Harlow will train horse and rider 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (\$15 at door for all day). FMI or to participate: visit www.KennyHarlow.com or call (434) 983-2221 or contact Gail Allenson at Ranch at 674-2069.

Saturday, Oct. 4

9:30 a.m. — Fall Foliage Flotilla on Lower Magalloway River and Lake Umbagog and the Androscoggin River sponsored by Mahoosuc Land Trust. Bring own canoe or kayak, a personal floatation device and lunch. Meet at Mahoosuc Guide Service, Route 26, Newry, 7 miles north of Route 2. FMI or to register: call Mahoosuc Land Trust at 824-3806 or e-mail info@Mahoosuc.org.

Monday, Oct. 6

10 a.m. — Essentials of College Planning Free Workshop, for qualified adults at South Paris Career Center, 232 Main Street, South Paris. FMI and to register: call (800) 281-3703 or visit <http://meoc.maine.edu>.

Wednesday, Oct. 8

11 a.m. — Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting/dinner (\$8) at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall in West Bethel. The speaker will be someone from the Conservation School in Bryant Pond.

Wednesday, Oct. 8 and Thursday, Oct. 16

Telstar High School Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences on Oct. 8 from 5 to 8:30 p.m. and Oct. 16 from 4 to 7:30 p.m. Parents and guardians may call for appointments beginning Monday, Sept. 29. Dial 824-2136 ext. 305 and press 1 for the high school office.

Thursday, Oct. 9

7 p.m. — The Birth House, Bridgton, will offer a free introduction to belly dance as a birth dance FMI: contact Rihah Newell at 890-0545 or The Birth House at 647-5919.

7:30 p.m. — "Marketing Maine Apples," a lecture by Ben B. Conant, curator of the Paris Cape Historical Society, South Paris will be held at Bethel Historical Society's Mason House Exhibit Hall, Broad Street, Bethel. FMI: call 824-2908 or e-mail info@bethelhistorical.org or visit www.bethelhistorical.org.

October 9 thru 26

The Schoolhouse Arts Center, Route 114, north of intersection of routes 114 and 35 in Sebago Lake Village will present "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown." Thursday, Friday and Saturday 8 p.m. and Sunday matinee 2 p.m. Call 642-3743 for reservations or more information.

Friday, Oct. 10

6 p.m. — "Celebration of Light" at Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover.

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Oct. 10, 11 and 12

Ellis River Riders' old-fashioned horse fair and trail ride, The Best of America by Horseback, at Andover Recreations Field, Route 120, Andover. Filmed for RFD-TV. Weekend open to public free of charge. Trail riders and horses from all over New England. Meet TV host, Tom Seay, and the cast and crew of Best of America. Professional horseman, Kerry Kuhn demonstrations, music by cowboy singer/songwriter, Del Shields. Food, vendors, competitions. FMI: call 392-2381 or e-mail info@ellisriverriders.com or visit www.ellisriverriders.com or www.bestofamericabyhorseback.com.

Saturday, Oct. 11

8:30 a.m. (doors open) — Flea Market and Craft Fair at West Paris Grange Hall, Church Street, West Paris Village. Flea Market, crafts, bake sale and luncheon. For table rental call 674-3241. Sponsored by West Paris Grange.

Yard Sale at Albany Town Hall, corner Hunt's Corner Road and Route 35. Good, saleable items still needed. To donate, call Buzzie at 824-2568. Proceeds go toward fixing the roof.

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Yard Sale at West Parish Congregational Church, UCC on Church Street, Bethel. Sale benefits church's Smile Fund, which aids those in need of restorative dental work. Bargains are to be had in the church basement.

9th annual North American Winter Fall Carrying Championships will be part of Sunday Ski Resort's annual Fall Festival weekend, which also includes Blue Mountain Arts and Crafts 25th Fair. Free outdoor concert with Max Creek, wine tasting, scenic chairlift rides, children's activities, wagon rides and more. Listing of Fall Festival events available at www.sundayriver.com.

11 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Whitman Memorial Library celebrates its 100th year with a Chinese Auction, Checkers Tournament, old-fashioned games and music by Richard Felt's band. All welcome.

American Life in Poetry

Selection and comments by Ted Kooser, U.S. Poet Laureate 2004-2006

Perhaps you made paper leaves when you were in grade school. I did. But are our memories as richly detailed as these by Washington, D.C. poet, Judith Harris?

Gathering Leaves in Grade School

They were smooth ovals, and some the shade of potatoes—some had been moth-eaten or spotted, the maples were starched, and cracked like campfire.

We put them under tracing paper and rubbed our crayons over them, X-raying the spread of their bones and black, veined catacombs.

We colored them green and brown and orange, and cut them out along the edges, labeling them deciduous or evergreen.

All day, in the stuffy air of the classroom, with its cockeyed globe, and nautical maps of ocean floors, I watched those leaves

lost in their own worlds flap on the pins of the bulletin boards: without branches or roots, or even a sky to hold on to.

Come celebrate with them..

5 p.m. — BBQ Turkey Roast at Blazing Star Lodge, Route 232, Rumford Corner by Rumford Royal Arch Chapter 56. Menu: turkey, mashed potatoes, green beans, coleslaw, stuffing, cranberry sauce, gravy, bread, coffee, punch, pies. Adults, \$8; under 12, \$4. Takeouts available, chair on back stairs. FMI: call Joe Roy at 364-4715.

5:30 p.m. — Public Supper at United Methodist Church, Bethel. Menu: beans, casseroles, salads, pie, rolls, beverage. Adults, \$7; under 12, \$3.

7 to 9 p.m. — David Mallett, Maine's famous folk singer/songwriter in concert at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, South Paris, to benefit Western Foothills Land Trust in purchasing Roberts Farm in Norway. Doors open 6:30 p.m. Tickets available at Books N Things, Creative Media, The Maine Bookhouse and The Village Gift Barn in Norway and Casco. Tickets also available at Bridgton Books in Bridgton or online at www.vfwtmaine.org.

7 p.m. — Oddfellow Theater, Buckfield, presents "Not Far from South Africa" Tickets: free but donations accepted. Seating limited so reservations recommended by calling the box office at 336-3306. FMI: visit www.NotFar.org.

Sunday, Oct. 12

1 to 4 p.m. — Adopt-a-Dog-A-Thon at Alternative Modular Homes, 470 Main Street, Route 26, Oxford.

More Community Calendar

An extended version of this week's Community Calendar can be found on our homepage: bethelcitizen.com.

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Speaker/Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's 12 Step/Traditions Meeting, Fridays at 6pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

ADDICTION HELP

Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 656-8885 or visit www.drugrehab.net.

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Darcy Lund at 739-2888.

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 6pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Career Center in Rumford (364-3718), second Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9am; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corrievau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 to 11 a.m. followed by brunch. All are welcome. FMI - 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Sunday worship 10:45 a.m., followed by brunch; Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30 p.m. Rt. 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Rev. Kevin Belling. Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9am; Morning worship service at 10am; Kids Klub (4 yrs 5th grade) at 5:30pm; Prayer fellowship Wednesdays at 7pm; Sundays: Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 5:30pm. For more information call 824-2289.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. morning worship, Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickman. 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m. FMI call 824-6530.

Our Lady of the Snows- Saturday mass at 6 p.m., Rev. Angelo Levasseur. 364-4556. United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship, Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

West Bethel Union - Morning worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-3533 or 836-2882. Rev. John Williams.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally. Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9am; Worship Services, 10am; Ladies Bible study Tuesday, 2:30pm; Prayer meeting Tuesday 6pm; Awana clubs follow school-year calendar. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 624-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 28), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-5377 FMI.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish Churches in Stoneham and North Waterford - Services at 10 a.m. at the North Waterford Congregational Church (UCC), located on the Five Kears Road, off Routes 35 & 37, opposite Melby's Market. Services held at North Waterford through the winter months. Choir practice 8am, followed by Bible Study at 9:15am.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Leiven. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service

10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 663-466-2831.

Gorham Congregational Church - Interim minister Rev. Kent Schneider. Sunday morning worship and church school at 10:30am. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 663-466-2136.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 938-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines Sunday morning service will begin at 9a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints - 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-3881.

NEWRY

Sunday River Christian Ministry - Weddings, Baptisms, Funerals, etc. held in mountainous settings, riverside, or your choice by Reverend Don Coverdale. Cell phone: 781-710-8886. Interdenominational church services will be held in the Upper Room of the River House, South Ridge area, on Sunday, December 23 at 10:30am and every Sunday thereafter until March 30. Watch here for details or call 824-5896 (machine). Peace be with you!

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd Rt. 118 (catercorner to Norway Country Club). Norway. Call 824-4099 FMI or ride.

Trinity Lutheran Church - Route 117, S. Paris. Pastors Kim Marie and Tom Myhre. Sunday School at 9am. Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee, refreshments and good fellowship. Bible Study, Wednesdays 7 p.m.

North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singers/choir third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 968-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday Services 9 a.m., June-Aug.; Sunday School at 10 a.m. Informal worship at 5 p.m. Sundays. Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month

following worship. Pastor Ron Blake St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship (Sept. - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons, Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Adult and teen Sunday school 8am. Sunday worship service at 10am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6pm. Wednesday night bible study and youth group 7pm. 170 Andover Road. FMI call 364-3636 or see our website at www.praisesssemblyofgod.net.

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational. Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship. Rev. Richard Beal. 674-2143.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m., Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School: Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m.; Monday Diaconette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi Weekly 9:30-11:30am. Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm. church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Larry Hodgkins, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Prayer & bible study 6:30 p.m.; Fridays: Youth Group 7-12th grade, 6:30pm.

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) - Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. Call Dick Stratton at 824-8669 FMI.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday 1-4:30 pm; Thursday 1-4:30 & 6-8 pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9-1; Tuesday 1-5; Wednesday 1-8; Thursday & Friday 1-5 Saturday, 9-1. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11 am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

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From **Western Mountains Senior College**

Pat and Henry Stewart will open the fall Down Home Maine series tonight (Oct. 2) with their program, "A Visit to Safe Passage," to be held at the Rooster's Roadhouse Private Dining Room, 159 Mayville Road, Route 2, Bethel. The program will be held from 4:30 to 6 p.m. The restaurant will have a cash bar and light hors d'oeuvres available. They will also extend their Early Bird Specials for anyone interested in remaining to dine.

Pat and Henry will show the Academy Award nominated documentary, "Recycled Life," and a DVD showing their own experience at Safe Passage. Pat and Henry first visited Safe Passage in 2007 as program volunteers, two days after its founder Henley Denning's tragic death. They met Julian Reyes, a Safe Passage child sponsored by Christ Church of Norway. They returned in 2008 and will return again in 2009.

Plan to attend this very interesting program for

a firsthand view by the Stewart's.

From **Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center**

Dr. Stanley R. Howe, executive director of the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center, announced this week the appointment of James Dock, 34, of Auburn to the newly created position of development director.

A University of Maine at Farmington graduate with a major in history, Dock brings to the position a solid record of fundraising for the Pine Tree Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of America, as a district executive. He has successfully organized and directed annual fundraising campaigns in his district. These campaigns included corporate, community and family contributions, special events, product sales, and gifts-in-kind. During this time, his abilities to identify, recruit, and train key volunteers were essential to the success of these fundraising efforts.

Dock's family ties with the Bethel area extend back to the

19th century. He is the great-grandson of prominent Bethel businessman Leslie Davis. Dock is married to the former Heidi Moore of Bethel, and they have one son, Boden, 5.

Funding for the development program is made possible in part by a grant from the Davis Family Foundation and a three-year grant from the Bingham Betterment Fund.

From **Oxford County Republicans**

Martin Sheehan, Director of Communications, Maine Heritage Policy Center, will be the featured speaker at the Oct. 14 meeting of the Oxford County Republicans to be held at Franklin Grange 124, Bryant Pond, beginning with a 5:30 p.m. social hour, 6:30 supper followed by the speaker and a brief meeting.

The title of Sheehan's remarks will be, "It's Time to Pull the Plug on the Dirigo Health Experiment." Sheehan will also provide an update on the beverage tax referendum designed to repeal the last-minute tax enacted by the Democratic Maine Legislature toward the end of the last

session. All Republicans and those interested in helping advance conservative public interests are cordially invited to attend.

At the last meeting of the Oxford County Republicans, on Sept. 9, held at the Stoneham Congregational Church, Ed McLaughlin and Robert Verrill of the non-partisan Maine Economic Research Institute (MERI) were present to review the records of Maine legislators in regard to improving Maine's business climate. As usual, the results were very revealing indicating that Democrats are generally not supportive of small businesses, which are the backbone of the Maine economy. They usually favor higher taxes and more regulation, making it more difficult to do business in Maine. A score of 75 or more indicates support for Maine's small businesses and efforts to grow a vibrant economy. In Oxford County, Democrats Tim Carter (25.5), Sheryl Briggs (20.0), Terry Hayes (50.5), Lawrence Sirois (25.5), John Patrick (14.5), Bruce Bryant (22.5) were placed in the "weak" or "very weak" in support of small business while Republican members

such as James Hamper (89.5), David Hastings (90.0), Sawin Millett (95.0), Richard Sykes (87.5), Ralph Sarty (78.0) Roberta Muse (78.0) all placed in the "very strong."

Present at this meeting were House candidates Jarrod Crockett, Joe Robinson, and Rep. Sawin Millett, Senate candidates Glen Holmes and Sen. David Hastings, Register of Probate Tom Winsor, County Commissioner Steve Merrill, and Congressional candidate John Frary.

From **Oxford County Democrats**

The Oxford County Democrats launched a Virtual On-line Auction on Oct. 1 at 6:30 a.m. featuring an array of items and services donated by individuals. Bidding will continue through Oct. 30.

The items include a four-day canoe trip on the St. Croix River in the summer of 2009 with Rep. Terry and Steve Hayes of Buckfield, a plane trip for three adults with Bruce Rood of Norway, a twin-size quilt by Cathy Newell of Greenwood, a will by Attorney Jennifer Kreckel of Rumford, a tour of

the Bumpus Mine in Albany in the summer of 2009 for up to eight adults by Seabury Lyon of Bethel, financial and healthcare power of attorney documents by Attorney Paul Dumas of Mexico, an antique beaded evening bag and a vintage petitpoint evening bag donated by Arla Patch of Woodstock, and a weekend at a Beacon Hill condo in Boston donated by Pat and Henry Stewart of Greenwood. Additional items will be added throughout the auction.

To participate, e-mail Cathy Newell at cathy@megalink.net to be added to the auction mailing list and view complete descriptions and pictures of auction items. Bids are submitted by e-mail and updates will be issued several times each week through Oct. 30.

The upcoming supper planned by the Oxford County Democrats in October will be featuring silent auctions, as well as an opportunity to bid on the Virtual On-line Auction items.

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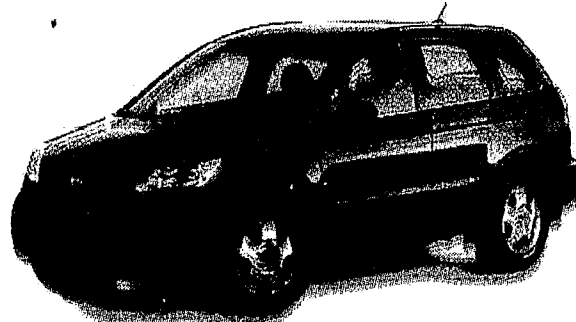
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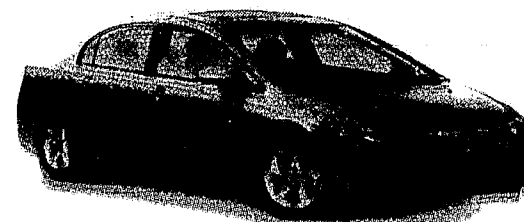


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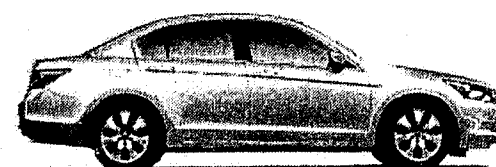
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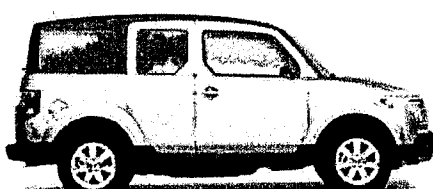
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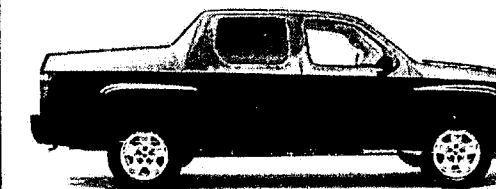
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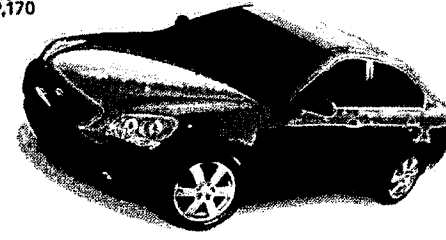
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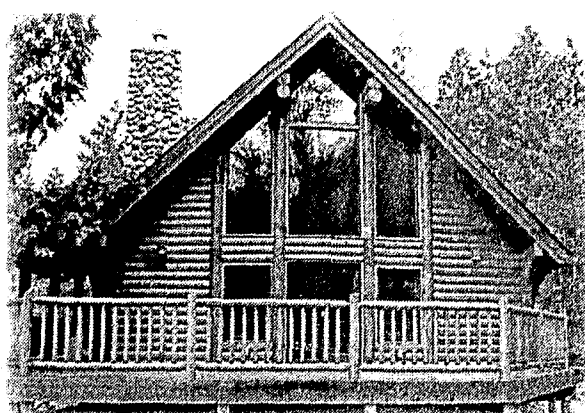
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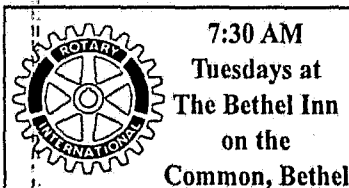
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Subdivision Application

Project: Grand View Estates, Phase II
Applicant: Earl Tyler
Authorized Agent: Main-Land Development Consultants, Inc.
Location: Map 15 Lot 22

Public Hearing: Wednesday, October 8, 2008 at 6:30 PM. Town Office Meeting Room

All application materials are on file in the Bethel Town Office; please contact the Planning Assistant or Code Enforcement Officer for additional information.

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ceiling w/ wonderful exposed wood
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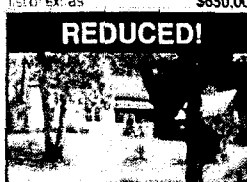
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UNDER CONTRACT!

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SOLD!

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HOMES

44 Douglass Rd, Newry: This 6-BR/5.5-bath home is a private, year-round, mountain retreat. The home is set on 4 acres with breathtaking views. Features include a heated pool with attached jacuzzi, hot tub on the deck, 2-BR apartment and much more. \$995,000

9 Vista Road, Newry: Fabulous building package w/highly regarded local builder. 5-BR/3.5-bath, open floor plan, vaulted ceilings. Great views of Sunday River. Close to hiking, golf, and snowmobile trails. The Peaks Subdivision. (Representative Photo) \$599,000

274 Douglass Rd, Newry: Spectacular custom-built log home in the Powder Ridge neighborhood, with panoramic views of Sunday River's slopes. Features include 2 fireplaces, master suite, hot tub, deck, finished daylight basement, and attached 3-car garage. \$998,000

44 Merriman Drive, Bethel: Nestled among towering pines with spectacular village and mountain views, this architectural gem offers privacy, 4 BRs and 2.5 baths - within 10 minutes from Sunday River. The property's guest cabin has been featured in Down East magazine. \$450,000

31 Riverwood Drive, Newry: Cozy cabin in the woods with over 350+/- feet of Bear River frontage and beautiful views! 3-BR/2-bath has fully equipped kitchen with tiled floors, towering stone fireplace, cathedral ceilings, loft area, porch, deck and gazebo. \$419,900

6 Dumont Circle, Bethel: Lovely well-kept 4-BR home with farmer's porch, open concept living area, and a den with built-ins and fireplace. Beautifully landscaped and in a quiet neighborhood close to town and schools. \$364,500

LAND

Birch Woods, Bethel: Lot 24, Level 2.1-acre lot in beautiful neighborhood. Large building envelope w/potential mtn views and plenty of privacy. \$96,800

Moody Mtn. Rd, Woodstock: 14.8-acre lot with westerly views and privacy. Gently sloping with mix of hardwoods & evergreens. Perfect spot for dream home. \$99,000

15 Red Farm Village, Newry: Level lot in popular neighborhood, with views of White Heat and minutes from slopes. \$113,000

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B-306	1 BR	\$149,900
CASCADES		
B-6	STUDIO	\$93,900
B-14	1 BR	SOLD
FALL LINE		
W-04	2 BR	\$155,000
LOCKE MOUNTAIN		
D-2	4 BR	SOLD
D-3	4 BR	SOLD
MERRILL BROOK		
II-D	1 BR	SOLD
II-D	1 BR	SOLD
NORTH PEAK		
II-112	2 BR	\$205,900
II-109	2 BR	\$206,000
I-302	2 BR	\$209,000
II-210	2 BR	\$215,000
SOUTH RIDGE		
I-4	2 BR	\$259,900
E-3	2 BR	\$289,900
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Contact: Carol Everett

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71 PINE ST., ANDOVER \$102,000

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LAND

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Obituaries



DIANE A. THURSTON

Diane A. Thurston, 54, wife of David Thurston of Albany Twp., died Sept. 26, 2008 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

She was born in Lewiston on May 30, 1954, daughter of the late George and Helen (Payju) Abbott and graduated from Winthrop High School in 1972.

Diane worked at Stuarts Cannery for three years and had worked as a housekeeper at Papoose Pond and the Bethel Inn. She also had worked as a caregiver to Mrs. Wandgoff and many others. She had attended the Bethel Alliance Church and had a very strong relationship with the ladies of the church.

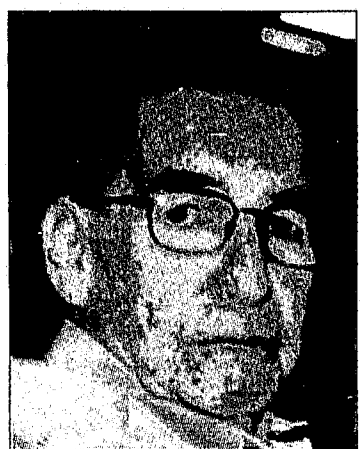
Diane liked to make wreaths, balsam fir pillows and greeting cards, loved to talk on the phone, cook (especially apple pies) and loved clothes. Diane was the type of person who always wanted to help others.

She is survived by her husband, David of Albany; one son, Warren Thurston and his wife Davina and their daughter Jayden all of Gil-ead; two brothers, Mark Abbott and Andre Abbott both of Georgia; one sister, Tammy Phillips of Georgia; and many nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles. She was predeceased by one sister, Holly Romaro.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Sept. 30, at Bethel Alliance Church, Walkers Mills Road, Bethel. The family suggests memorials in her

memory be made to the Bethel Ambulance Service, c/o Mary Buckman, 549 Walkers Mills Road, Bethel, ME 04217.

Online condolences may be left for the family at www.andrewsgreenleaf.com.



RICHARD 'DICK' BAHRE

Richard "Dick" Bahre, 76, of 208 Wickersham Drive, Statesville, N.C., died Saturday, Sept. 27, 2008, at his residence.

Dick was born Aug. 30, 1932, in Collinsville, Conn., and was the son of the late Peter and Irene F. Bahre. He served as a Staff Sergeant in the U.S. Air Force from 1953 to 1957 and was of the Catholic faith. He was brought up working on the family farm and later worked with his brother in land development and real estate in Maine.

He was involved in auto racing for over 50 years, starting with the midjet racing circuit in the late 1950s and early 1960s and served as a track manager of Oxford Plains Speedway. In 1983, he re-located to North Carolina and became a Winston Cup Team Owner with NASCAR and was owner and operator of Dick Bahre Racing. As a car owner, he gave many drivers the opportunity to compete in NASCAR and field cars in 31 races on what is now the NASCAR Sprint Cup Series. Geoffrey Bodine, Charlie Glotzbach, Sterling Marlin, Morgan Shepherd, Dave Mader, and Michael Waltrip all competed in Bahre owned

cars. In 1989, he served as an integral part in building the New Hampshire Motor Speedway with his brother and speedway founder, Bob, and his nephew and track president, Gary. In the mid-1980s, he along with Chuck Rider formed Bahari Racing with Michael Waltrip behind the wheel. Later in his career, Dick stayed close to the sport as a consultant and occasionally fielded cars in ARCA and the NASCAR Camping World Series East. He was a member of the Maine Sports Hall of Fame and a lifetime member of the National Rifle Association. He especially enjoyed his 1953 Studebaker and was a very dependable and trusting friend.

Dick is survived by his wife of 23 years, Orene Mason Bahre, whom he married on Nov. 30, 1985; a daughter, Dawn Nickloy of Statesville, N.C.; a step-daughter, Cynthia Mae Bray and her husband, Thomas of Caribou, Maine; a step-son, James Osgood and his wife Marjorie of Newry, Maine; two grandchildren, Nicole Drake and Christian Evans-Bahre, both of Statesville, N.C.; five step-grandchildren, Teresa, Jennifer, and Tommy Bray, and Erin and Wade Osgood, all of Maine; seven great-grandsons; two brothers, Robert "Bob" Bahre and his wife Sandra of Alton, N.H., and Paris Hill, Maine, and Everett Bahre and his wife Rowena of California; and seven nieces and nephews, Gary, Terry, Shawn, Amy, Kyle, Tina, and Katie.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday, Oct. 2, at 10:30 a.m. at Saint Catherine's of Sienna in Norway with Fr. Albert Colpitts as

Celebrant. Interment to follow at the Riverside Annex Cemetery in South Paris. For those who prefer, memorial contributions may be made to Victory Junction Gang Camp, 4500 Adam's Way, Randleman, NC 27317; or Hospice and Palliative Care of Iredell County, 2347 Simonton Road, Statesville, NC 28625; or to the American Cancer Society, 6000 Fairview Road, Suite 200, Charlotte, NC 28210. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.oxfordhillsfuneralservices.com.

DONALD M. GLINES

Donald Marshall Glines, 87, of South Paris, died Friday, Sept. 26, 2008 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

He was born in Norway on Sept. 14, 1921, the son of Edwin and Emma Dunham Glines. He graduated from Norway High School in 1940. He faithfully served his country in the U.S. Army during World War II; he was at the Battle of the Bulge. He had been employed as a supervisor at Wilner Wood Products for 36 years. He married Vieno Whitman on March 6, 1943.

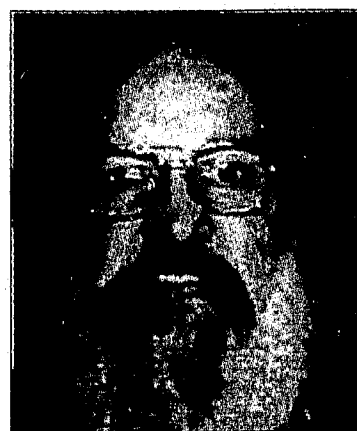
He enjoyed fishing, hunting, camping and woodcarving. He especially enjoyed time spent with family at camp in Newry, as well as mountain climbing with Merle and going riding with Bob.

He is survived by his wife of 65 years of South Paris; son, Bruce Glines and his wife Susan of West Paris; daughter, Pamela Tebbets and her husband Charlie of Lisbon; grandson, Jason Tebbets and his wife Christie of Lewiston; great-grandson, Owen Tebbets; brothers, Robert Glines and his wife Beverly of Nor-

way and Merle Glines and his wife Marlene of South Paris; and nieces, nephews and sisters-in-law. He was predeceased by his parents; and a sister Nellie Whyte.

Graveside services were held on Tuesday, Sept. 30 at Riverside Annex Cemetery in South Paris with a reception following at Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, 34 Buckfield Road, South Paris. Remembrance donations can be made to the church memorial fund.

Online condolences may be shared with his family at www.westonchandler.com.



JOHN A. SYLVESTER

John Aubrey Sylvester, 58, of Route 108 in Rumford, Maine, died Sunday, Sept. 28, 2008, at his daughter Julie Steward's home on Meadowbrook Terrace, Dixfield, Maine.

He was born in Rumford, on Dec. 24, 1949, a son of Walter and Beverly (Townsend) Sylvester. He graduated from Telstar Regional High School in Bethel and had attended Central Maine Community College.

John worked as a millwright for many years for NewPage Paper Mill in Rumford.

He was a member of Napoleon Ouellette Post 24, American Legion; member United Steelworkers; member of the United Bikers of Maine; member of Rumford Falls Aerie 1248, F.O.E. He enjoyed the outdoors, especially riding his Harleys, fishing and cooking.

Survivors include daughters, Julie Steward and husband Roy of Dixfield, Tina Aston and husband Thad of Auburn; sisters, Frances Ball and husband Gene of Circleville, Kan., Ruth Berry of Rhode Island, Theresa Bouchard and husband Robert of Mexico, Maine, Barbara Sylvester of Hartford, Maine, Mary Thompson of Maine, Margaret Squire and husband David of Scottsdale, Ariz.; brothers, Walter Sylvester, Jr. of Andover, Maine, Robert Sylvester and wife Sharon of Warwick, R.I., Michael Sylvester of Massachusetts; grandchildren, Zachary Giberson of Rumford, and Roman Curran of Bowdoinham; his mother, Beverly Sylvester of Andover, Maine; many nieces and nephews; his companion, Cecile Comeau of Rumford; and was predeceased by his father, Walter Sylvester; daughter, Ariana Sylvester; granddaughter, Tia Bouchard.

Private services will be held at the family's convenience. E-mail condolences and memories may be shared at meaderfh@gwi.net.

Notice of a Special Town Meeting

A Special Town Meeting has been called for Tuesday October 14, 2008 at 6:00 PM at the Woodstock Town Office to see if the town will vote to accept Outlook Road, as a town road, from Lloyd Poland. The plan showing the location of the road is on file at the Woodstock Town Office. For any further information you may contact the Town office at 665-2668.

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THANK YOU

The family of Lawrence (Bozo) Young would like to express a heartfelt gratitude to everyone for their expressions of kindness and support during the last few years with his battle with prostate cancer and Alzheimer's. We could not have managed his care without the help of Dr. DeCarolis and the staff of the Bethel Family Health Center, his Radiologist Dr. Mandel, and the CMMC Oncology staff.

Thank you to The Bethel Ambulance Service, Stephens Memorial Hospital, Pace Ambulance Service and The Hospice House in Auburn for making his last days much easier for him and the family.

Thank you to Jan Cross, Honey Bailey, Pete & Judy Young, our neighbor Steve Cross, other family and friends for all the love and support we received. A special thank you to Jack Cross and his crew including Clay Gould, Marsha Fleet, and Aubrey Day. We couldn't have done it without you.

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